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ASSEMBLY TO GET ANOTHER CHANCE TO ACT ON BRIDGE

Citizens' Committee, With 51,335 Initiative Signatures in Reserve, Will Have Ordinance Introduced in Hope Bond Issue Will Be Submitted.

PETITIONS GO TODAY TO ELECTION BOARD

Ten Days Probably Will Be Required to Verify Lists—Citizens' Committee to Remain Intact for Bond Issue Campaign.

The Citizens' Free Bridge Committee, representing 85 business, civic and improvement associations, will give to the Municipal Assembly one more opportunity to pass an ordinance for a special election in June on the $2,750,000 Reber approach bond issue before the initiative is used to force an election.

Armed with initiative petitions, containing the signatures of 51,335 registered voters of St. Louis, the Citizens' Committee, as spokesman for these petitioners, will have an ordinance introduced in the Municipal Assembly, probably Tuesday night. In this way the issue of one or two elections will be put up squarely to the Municipal Assembly. If two elections are made necessary, entailing upon the people the unnecessary expense of one election and the loss of several months' time in the settlement of the bridge question, the responsibility will be placed on the Municipal Assembly.

Ten Days for Checking.

The initiative petitions will be filed with the Board of Election Commissioners Monday afternoon. Ten days, and possibly more, will be required by the board to check up and verify the petitions. The Municipal Assembly could, within that time, clear the decks for the passage of an ordinance for an election directly on the bond issue.

Dr. Paul R. Fletcher, who has been the leader of the Alton & Mississippi forces in the City Council, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday that he would vote for the bill when it was introduced. He said that since the initiative petitions had been signed by a sufficient number of voters to insure an election on the Reber approach proposition, he thought it was the duty of the Municipal Assembly now to act and save the expense and time of two elections.

The present session of the Municipal Assembly will not expire until April 23. The Citizens' Committee is of the opinion that the Municipal Assembly now will yield to the demand of the people for an opportunity to vote bonds to complete the bridge.

If the ordinance should not be passed by the Municipal Assembly two elections will be made necessary—one on the initiative ordinance and the other on the bond issue. This delay would make it impossible for the bond issue election to be held before November.

The Campaign Committee of the Citizens' Committee met Monday to consider plans of procedure. The members of this committee are Fred G. Zeibig, chairman; William Wedemeyer, Henry W. Barth, John E. Turner and Otto L. Teichmann. Chairman Shapleigh, Vice-Chairman R. S. Hawes and Counsel P. Taylor Bryan met with the committee.

Committee to Remain Intact.

Instructions were given to the attorneys for the committee early Monday to prepare the ordinance for a bond issue election at the earliest possible date. The Citizens' Committee will remain intact for the bridge bond issue campaign, whether an election is held in June or November.

If the Assembly, by refusing to pass the ordinance, makes an election on the ordinance necessary in August, the Citizens' Committee will hold itself in readiness to conduct the campaign. It will then take up immediately the campaign for the second election.

Plans already are being made for strengthening the free bridge forces in every section of the city. Particular attention will be paid to the wards where the petitions were not satisfactorily circulated. In three wards of the city—the Ninth, Eleventh and Twenty-first, the volunteer canvassers failed to complete their work, and the voters in those wards did not have an opportunity to sign the initiative petitions.

By a systematic and thorough campaign in every ward in the city the Citizens' Committee is confident that it can bring out a vote of 100,000 in favor of the Reber approach bond issue. Even in the wards where the canvass was most complete by the volunteer organizations many voters were not reached. This was shown Monday when Charles L. Laxton of the Twenty-seventh Ward brought in 300 signatures from the Fourth and Fifth precincts of that ward which had been missed by the volunteer canvassers.

Second Canvass Successful.

Laxton checked up the lists of signers in these precincts and made a second canvass. He said that while the petitions had been signed heavily by the voters of the Twenty-seventh Ward, he was satisfied that each of the other

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WILD BIRD SONGS PHONOGRAPHED

Edison on Florida Vacation Succeeds in Obtaining Records in the Swamps.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Thomas A. Edison, who has been on a vacation at Fort Meyer, Fla., for four weeks, can't stand the "exhaustion" of taking a rest. He has written to his secretary, William H. Meadowcroft of West Orange, N. J., that he's "all tired out" and "longs for the laboratory." He says he will be home next week, although Mrs. Edison is trying to force him to stay in the South.

With him when he returns will come a unique collection of phonographic records. Edison is a bird lover, and his companions on his vacation—Henry Ford, the automobile man, and John Burroughs, the naturalist—are bird lovers.

Several weeks ago they set in the underbrush of the Florida Everglades a number of machines which could be set in motion by a push button a mile away, their object being to catch the songs of the shy swamp birds. The experiment was successful, and scores of strange bird songs were obtained.

WOMAN PAYS $1 TO RIVAL TO REGAIN HER HUSBAND

Man Is "Delivered" to Wife; Judge Says "It Looks Like Throwing Away Money."

CINCINNATI, O., March 23.—Mrs. Julia Steplein received $1 today for returning to Mrs. Stella Smith the latter's husband. Mrs. Smith paid the dollar. Mrs. Smith swore out a warrant charging Mrs. Steplein with a statutory offense.

"For 50 cents you will give to this woman her husband again—is that correct?"

"Yes, Judge," replied Mrs. Steplein.

"I will give her a dollar, Judge, instead of 50 cents," said Mrs. Smith.

"It looks to me like you are throwing your money away, but I guess the man ought to be worth a dollar," commented the Judge, who said he thought some money should be paid Mrs. Steplein for her expenditure in keeping the man.

The case was settled when Mrs. Steplein promised to make delivery of the man upon receipt of $1. The "delivery" was made today.

STREET CAR POLL WINS ALDERMAN TO ORDINANCE

Chicago Councilman, Against His Will, to Vote for Anti-Smoke Measure.

CHICAGO, March 23. — Much against his will, Alderman George P. Latchford tonight will vote for an ordinance prohibiting smoking in street cars. Saturday he told members of the woman's party in his ward he was opposed to the measure because the people of his ward were against it.

"But," he said, "if you will board a "Halstead street car at Forty-fifth and take a poll of the passengers I will abide by their decision."

Miss Thelia Washick, chairman of the ward organization of the party, accepted the challenge. She polled the passengers of a car Sunday under the eye of the conductor and they stood 19 to 3 for the ordinance.

WEDDED 75 YEARS, HAS RETIRED NIGHTLY AT 7

Illinoisan, 97, Who Will Celebrate Diamond Anniversary Has Never Tasted Ice Cream.

FREEPORT, Ill., March 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stifer, who reside near Lanark, will celebrate their diamond wedding anniversary tomorrow. They are 97 and 96 years old respectively, and until recently neither had suffered a day's illness.

Mr. Stifer has never used intoxicants or tobacco, and has never tasted ice cream. Since boyhood he has gone to bed nightly at 7 o'clock except when he attended meetings.

Owing to the failing health of the couple the seventy-fifth anniversary will be quietly observed. Three children and several grandchildren will attend.

WOMAN SHOOTS A MAN AND SELF; WOUNDS SERIOUS

Archie Noe, a United Railways Conductor, Shot in Back by Mrs. Lorine Sanders.

HE MEANT TO MOVE

Roomers in House Say Shooting Followed When He Announced He Intended to Leave.

Mrs. Lorine Sanders, 24 years old, shot Archie Noe, 21 years old, a United Railways conductor, and then shot herself at the house where both lived at 1507 South Thirty-ninth street, at 11:30 a. m. Monday.

Mrs. Sanders shot Noe in the back. Then leveling the revolver at herself, she fired, a bullet entering her chest on the right side.

Both were believed by ambulance physicians to be seriously wounded and they were taken direct to the city hospital.

Mrs. Sanders shot Noe from behind, the bullet entering his left lung. Then, leveling the revolver at herself, she fired, the bullet entering her chest above the heart.

Both were placed in an ambulance and rushed to the city hospital, where physicians said Noe's condition was serious and that Mrs. Sanders was suffering more from hysteria than from the bullet wound, which is a glancing one.

Mrs. Sanders, according to a police report, was living apart from her husband, A. G. Sanders. Persons in the neighborhood said she conducted the sleeping quarters for conductors and motormen and that apparently she became angered when Noe, one of her roomers, told her he was going away.

Said Friends Deserted Her.

At the hospital Mrs. Sanders told reporters she became crazed because Sanders had left her three months before and because it appeared all her friends were deserting her. She said neighbors had gossiped about the way she conducted the rooming house. Six roomers, she said, had left recently, and when Noe announced he was leaving she lost control of herself. He had been an intimate friend of hers while he lived there.

"I didn't intend to kill him, but I did intend to shoot myself," she said. "We had lived there 15 months. About three months ago he left for Chicago, saying he would send for me. He never sent."

Noe was so weak he only could say he had been shot from behind.

DIPLOMAT BURNED IN RESCUING A FIREBUG

Secretary of Legation at Christiana Tries to Carry Out Valet Who Set Blaze.

BOSTON, March 23.—F. Monroe Endicott, secretary to the American Legation at Christiania, Norway, is in the Massachusetts General Hospital, recovering from burns suffered in a fire in the home of his sister, Mrs. Franklin Haven. Daniel M. Lacruz, his valet, is alleged by the police to have confessed to setting the fire and has been sent to the Psychopathic Hospital for observation.

Endicott had been visiting here on a leave of absence. A bundle of burning papers was found outside the door of his room early Sunday. After he had been alarmed by his sister, who discovered the fire, he was burned about the feet and hands in trying to rescue the valet.

Cannibals Kill Six Teachers.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., March 23.—Natives in the north of Malekula Island of the New Hebrides group have murdered and eaten six natives, teachers from the Walla Island Mission station.

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On last Sunday, March 22, the total count was as follows:

Post-Dispatch, 308 Cols.
Globe-Democrat, 211 "
Republic, ... 162 "

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Average circulation for the full year 1913:

Daily (Exclusive of Sunday), 171,214
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GEROLD RELATIVES HELD FOR SENDING A WITNESS AWAY

Ben Gerold and Ray Le Compte Accused of Giving $20 to Man to Leave City.

WITNESS BROUGHT BACK

He Was Expected to Testify He Was Paid for City Teaming Work by Gerold.

Ben Gerold, half-brother of E. Fred Gerold, the former City Treasurer of East St. Louis, who is on trial on charges of withholding $50,000 of the city funds and profiting by unlawful contracts, was arrested Monday on the charge of having paid $20 to Henry Burton, a witness against Fred Gerold, to leave East St. Louis and remain away during the trial. Raymond Le Compte, a cousin of Ben Gerold, was arrested with him. He is charged with having made the actual payment of the money.

Gerold and Le Compte gave bond for $300 each with Justice Boyne, and their hearing was set for April 2. The punishment for sequestering a witness is one year in jail or a $1000 fine, or both. By order of Judge Pope, attachments also were issued against both men, on charges of contempt of court.

The arrests were made after Burton, who had gone to Centralia, Ill., was found there and brought back to East St. Louis Sunday by Dan Webb, a brother of State's Attorney Charles Webb, and after Burton had told, with great reluctance, the story of the way in which he was induced to leave East St. Louis.

Accuser Was a Teamster.

Burton was a teamster, and was employed in garbage removal. He was expected to testify, in Gerold's trial, that he received his pay, $9 a week, direct from City Treasurer Gerold, and that he never saw any warrants for the money. The State will undertake to show that Gerold made out warrants in his name, paid money to himself on those warrants, and disbursed a part of this money to Burton in weekly wages, keeping the rest. The garbage teaming contract is one of those which Gerold is charged with having held for his own profit, in the names of "dummy" contractors.

Burton was friendly to Gerold, and is said to have been a reluctant witness at the time of the grand jury inquiry. Recently State's Attorney Webb learned that the Sheriff had been unable to find Burton at the stockyards, where he was employed. He then learned, from a source which he has not disclosed, that Burton had gone to Centralia.

Saturday Dan Webb went to Centralia, carrying a subpena for Burton. He found Burton and brought him back Sunday, keeping him at his home over night. After breakfast he took Burton to the State's Attorney's office in the Arcade Building, and there Burton consented to make a statement.

Tells of Leaving East St. Louis.

Burton said that March 4, a few days before the trial began, Ben Gerold visited him at his home and asked him if he wished to "go to the country." He said Gerold mentioned the fact that he, Burton, was a witness against Fred Gerold.

Burton said Ben Gerold asked him how much he was earning at the stockyards, and that he replied he was making $10 a week. He remarked that if he was to go away, he would like to go to Centralia, as he had relatives there.

Ben Gerold then said, according to Burton, that he would pay Burton's railroad fare and expenses. Burton went the next day to his boss and arranged to get off for two weeks or longer.

Then, Burton said, he met Ben Gerold and Le Compte by appointment in front of the Longfellow School, on Summit avenue. The two were in an automobile and they took him in, Burton said, but Gerold remarked that it would not do for them to appear downtown with him. They rode about a short distance, Burton said, while Gerold gave him some instructions about his route, telling him to take a street car as far as Belleville and to go from there by train to Centralia.

Burton said Le Compte got out of the machine with him, and handed him $20, and that he took the next car for Belleville, and went on to Centralia, where he remained until Dan Webb found him.

Second Surprise in Week.

The witness-fixing charge was the second surprise in a week in the Gerold case. A few days ago the former Treasurer paid back to the city $20,461.45 of the $50,000 which figures in the charge against him. A civil suit filed against him by the city of East St. Louis for some $26,000, will be dismissed when he pays the balance, which he is expected to do this week. State's Attorney Webb announced, at the time of the payment, that it would have no effect on the prosecution, save that it would be cited as evidence upholding the State's contention.

FINDS BENTON WASN'T KILLED BY A PISTOL

British Consul's Report on Execution Is Received at Washington Embassy.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—British Consul Perceval's official report on the execution of William S. Benton at Juarez, received at the embassy here today, says "no pistol shots" were fired in the fight which ended in the ranchman's death, leaving the possible inference, it is said, that he was stabbed.

Writer Who Ends Life, First Wife and the House Where She Nursed Him; Woman Who Sued Him



CORONER'S JURY FINDS IT CANNOT FIX M. A. C. BLAME

Verdict of Accident Is Returned After Inquest Into Loss of 30 Lives.

A Coroner's jury, which for 10 days has been investigating the M. A. C. fire, in which 30 persons lost their lives March 9, Monday returned a verdict of accident, and declared it was impossible to fix the blame because the revised city code does not make any provision for the regulation of buildings used for club purposes.

"We deprecate the fact that our building laws are woefully deficient and suggest that the proper authorities lose no time in passing satisfactory ones," the Coroner's verdict states.

Cause Can't Be Determined.

The jury concluded the fire started in the east side of the dining room on the third floor. The exact cause, it finds, is still a matter of conjecture. "Whether the fire was started by a cigar or cigarette thrown among the draperies, or whether due to defective electric wiring, cannot be absolutely determined," the jury reported.

"So much has been said about the possibility or probability of women having been in the building at the time of the fire that this jury made determined efforts to ascertain the exact status of affairs in this respect," the report continued. "From the testimony of almost innumerable witnesses and from the very fact that of the 30 bodies found in the ruins all were males, we are absolutely convinced there were no women present. And as the dead cannot defend themselves, we feel it our duty to uphold their honor and integrity in this respect."

After an examination of the M. A. C. shell after the fire, the Coroner's jury reported on the firetrap conditions as follows:

The fire escapes, as they were placed or built, did not and could not sufficiently serve the purposes for which they were intended.

Wooden doors led to the so-called enclosed fire escape from various floors, proving that the use of the enclosed escape was very limited.

At one time or other fire doors had been placed at the entrances to elevators. These, for some reason or other, had been removed, reducing th efficiency of the elevators in such a calamity.

Only Staircase of Wood.

A small staircase, leading from the basement to the seventh floor, was of wood. It was the only stairway in the building, again rendering escape by such a source practically futile.

The building was not of proper construction for sleeping purposes. It was originally intended for a warehouse and as such it should have remained.

The Coroner's jury is reasonably certain there was no gas leak at the time the fire started. The rapidity with which the flames spread, enveloping the third and all upper floors almost instantly, is credited to the fact there was a tank of carbonic gas connected with the dining room bar and that the various floors were oil-soaked during the hardware company's occupancy of the building prior to its becoming the M. A. C. New flooring, the jury found, was placed over the old oil-soaked flooring.

The verdict was signed by Coroner Padberg, who personally conducted the inquest, and by the jurors, Ray Cahill, F. A. Egli, Julius F. Vogel, Thomas D. Henneberry, O. F. Schuchardt and W. J. Wilmes.

FREIGHT RATES UPHELD

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Existing class and commodity freight rates between St. Louis and East St. Louis and Fort Scott, Kan., were held by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to be reasonable and not discriminatory as compared with the rates from the same points to Kansas City.

The Frisco Lines were granted permission, under the long and short clause, to continue to charge lower rates from St. Louis and East St. Louis to Kansas City than to Fort Scott.

E. B. PRYOR NEW PRESIDENT OF THE STATE NATIONAL

Wabash Receiver Succeeds McCluney and Will Continue in Railroad Office.

Edward B. Pryor, receiver and executive head of the Wabash Railroad, of which he was vice-president before the receivership, was elected Monday to the presidency of the State National Bank, to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of John H. McCluney.

The place was offered to Pryor several days ago, but he could not at once decide to leave railroad work, in which he has been actively engaged for 34 years.

A. O. Wilson, vice-president of the bank, said that although Pryor's election as president was effective at once, he would divide his time between the bank and his office as receiver of the Wabash until the receivership ends.

This, according to information given out from the Wabash offices, will be in the near future, when the reorganization planned has been carried out to meet all obligations of the railroad. When the Wabash receivership ends, Wilson said, Pryor would devote his time to the bank, in which he has been a director eight years.

Pryor, F. A. Delano and W. K. Bixby were appointed receivers of the Wabash in December, 1911. Delano resigned last fall, to accept the presidency of the Monon Railroad, and Bixby withdrew in January, because of ill health, leaving Pryor the sole receiver.

Pryor lives at 5256 Westminster place. He is 60 years old and is a native of West Virginia. He was brought up in Palmyra, Mo., and went to work for the Wabash in 1879 as a clerk in the general auditor's office. The Wabash was then known as the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific.

He continued with the road, advancing to the places of chief clerk, assistant auditor, assistant secretary and assistant to the president, becoming vice-president, in charge of the treasury and accounting departments, in 1905.

He also has been an officer or director in the Wiggins Ferry Co., East St. Louis Connecting Railroad, St. Louis Transfer Railway, Missouri Pacific and Pacific Express Co., and a director of the State National Bank. He is a member of the First Congregational Church and of the Noonday and Country clubs.

ASKS LONGER JAIL TERM

Postal Clerk Gets It So He Can Seek Pardon.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Olaf M. Olson, sentenced last Saturday to serve a year in the House of Correction for rifling the mails while employed as a postal clerk, asked Judge Landis today to lengthen his sentence.

"That is a curious request," mused the Court.

"Well, Your Honor, if you make it a year and a day," said Olson, "I can come under the parole law after four months."

"I see," said the Court, "you want a longer sentence so it will be shorter. Mr. Clerk, make the sentence read a year and a day."

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

PROF. PECK, NOTED WRITER WHO BROKE DOWN, KILLS SELF

Man Who Was With Columbia 28 Years, Fires Bullet Into Head at Rooming House in Stamford, Conn., Where He Seemed to Be Recovering.

LEFT UNIVERSITY AFTER GIRL'S SUIT

When He Was Stricken Last April First Wife Hired Scientist and Nursed Him So as to Restore Him to Her Rivals.

STAMFORD, Conn., March 23—Harry Thurston Peck, former professor at Columbia University, killed himself at a rooming house here today, shooting himself in the head with a revolver.

Prof. Peck had been ill. Last fall he had so far recovered as to be able to resume literary work at his first wife's cottage at Sound Beach, near here.

He later had taken rooms here, and it was in these quarters he killed himself. Persons in the house heard a shot and then found the body. He was holding a pistol.

Peck Writer of Note.

Harry Thurston Peck was a writer of note, and for 28 years was professor of ancient languages at Columbia University. He left the institution more than three years ago in consequence of unpleasant notoriety incident to a breach of promise suit for $50,000, brought against him by Esther Quinn, a stenographer. Shortly after the filing of the suit, Dr. Peck filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. He gave his assets as $260.

In March, 1912, Miss Quinn's suit was dismissed as inefficient. Later she filed another action, which was pending at the time of his death.

Dr. Peck dropped out of sight after his retirement from Columbia, and did not come before the public eye until what physicians diagnosed as softening of the brain, when, on a visit to Prof. Charles H. Gallagher at Ithaca, N. Y. He was taken to the city hospital there. His illness, which was said to be incurable, brought about a strange episode in Dr. Peck's matrimonial affairs. Although he had been divorced in 1908 by his first wife, Mrs. Cornelia D. Peck, had married Miss Elizabeth H. Dubois in 1910, and was sued shortly thereafter by Miss Quinn for alleged breach of promise, his first wife took him to her home in Long Island, where she placed him under Christian Science treatment.

During this entire treatment the woman who had divorced him, attended to the needs of Dr. Peck and paid his expenses, saying she wanted to restore him to health and return him to the woman who had supplanted her in his affections. To this end she employed Dr. Merwin Turner, a Christian Science healer, to attend him.

Asked Girl to Forgive Him.

Prof. Peck was said to have steadily improved under this treatment, until from a condition in which he could scarcely speak at all, he got so that he could talk clearly for several minutes. One month after the treatment was started the first Mrs. Peck reported that the professor had improved greatly and that she and Dr. Turner believed the only thing needed to bring about a complete recovery was forgiveness by Miss Quinn, whose first suit against the professor had been dismissed on a technicality and whose second suit was pending.

Mrs. Cornelia Peck thereupon wrote to Miss Quinn explaining Dr. Peck's condition and adding that the future of the former Columbia University teacher "depends mainly upon a restoration of his mental equanimity through the forgiveness of all whom he had offended" and "the knowledge of kindly wishes existing from all wrom he has ever known."

The second Mrs. Peck found no objection to the ministrations of the divorced wife; in fact both worked together for the Professor's recovery.

While being cared for by his first wife Prof. Peck revceived letters from many friends and former associates, including President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University, whom he had sued for $50,000 as a result of his dismissal from the Latin chair following Miss Quinns's suit.

Controversy With Butler.

In 1910, Dr. Peck had a sharp controversy with Dr. Butler, over the authorship of certain Latin addresses. Peck charged that Dr. Butler purposed to deliver in Berlin as his own an address in Latin, which Peck wrote. Dr. Butler subsequently admitted that this was true, and was quoted in dispatches from Berlin as saying that the preparation of such matter was part of the professor's duty and that there was no "secret about it."

Dr. Peck was born in Stamford in 1856, and was educated in this country and abroad. He was an authority on Latin and the classics, and the author of numerous books.

BOY ON STRETCHER VISITS PRESIDENT AT WHITE HOUSE

Executive Sits Beside Cot of Paralyzed Child Who Takes Flowers to Mrs. Wilson.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Sick and pale, but with a smile lighting up his face, a boy, 12 years old, lay on a stretcher in the blue room of the White House early today and beside him sat the President of the United States. The scene was the culmination of weeks of yearning and the kind response of President Wilson to the boy's plea.

Harry Winthrop Davis of Sewickley, Pa., paralyzed and said to be slowly dying, was the President's early caller. He came in a motor ambulance and three hospital attendants bore him into the White House. The President came and chatted for several minutes with the little fellow, whose eyes beamed with joy and who was at first too happy to speak. Finally he asked about Mrs. Wilson and left some flowers for her.

The President's eyes were dimmed as he turned away to his day of work and the little boy was carried out on his stretcher to the ambulance and away to the railroad station and to Atlantic City.

The visit to the President was arranged after Mrs. A. L. Davis, the boy's mother, had written Mrs. Wilson, telling how her little boy had been praying to see the President and how she earnestly hoped it might be arranged. She suggested that the little fellow could be brought to the White House and the President promptly gave his consent.

FAIR TOMORROW; HIGHER TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.

8 a. m.	34	10 a. m.	42
5 a. m.	32	11 a. m.	44
7 a. m.	32	12 (noon)	46
9 a. m.	38	2 p. m.	52



"Well," said Mr. W., "I see they have launched the biggest battleship again. It's——"

"Almost flat and trimmed with a wreath of cherry blossoms," mused Mrs. W.

"It's outer armor plate is made of——"

"The loveliest shade of sunburned straw."

"And the preliminary tests have shown that it will go at——"

"Twelve-ninety eight."

"My dear, you aren't listening."

"Weren't you talking about those love-ly new pancake hats?"

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; rising temperature; the lowest tonight will be above the freezing point.

Missouri—Fair tonight and probably tomorrow; rising temperature.

Illinois—Fair tonight and tomorrow, becoming unsettled in north portion tomorrow; rising temperature.

Stage of the river: 8.4 feet; a rise of .4 of a fo

Bombay Has $3,500,000 Cotton Fire.

BOMBAY, India, March 22.—Cotton valued at $3,500,000 was destroyed by fire today. It was stored in sheds on C

REBEL OFFICERS FIND ELABORATE TORREON DEFENSES

Rebel Advance Nears Its Goal and Scouts View Defenses—Federals Said to Have Laid Trenches and Placed Guns in Accord With Latest Approved Methods of Warfare.

PREDICTS FALL OF CITY IN FEW HOURS

Insurrecto Leader Says, However, He Expects to Meet Strong Resistance at Lerdo; Mountain, 3 Miles Away, Is Fortified by Huerta Army.

MERMEJILLIO, Durango, Mexico (Constitutionalist Field Base), March 23.—Gen. Francisco Villa's spectacular march against Torreon, which began last Friday, and which has been marked by sharp skirmishes, was nearing an end today. Only a few haciendas and suburban towns remained between his army of 12,000 and the actual siege of Torreon.

At no point does the rebel leader expect to meet strong resistance, unless it be at Lerdo, a short distance north of Torreon. Reports are that a more or less formidable garrison of Federals has been placed by Gen. Refugio Velasco in Lerdo, to check the Constitutionalists.

Cerro la Pila, a huge mountain, which overshadows Gomez Palacio and which is supposed to be fortified by the Federals, is the only other matter of concern to Gen. Villa, but he does not believe that any considerable body of soldiers would detach themselves from the main army in Torreon, more than three miles from the mountains.

With the possible exception of the reported garrison at Lerdo, a defending party on La Pila would have no support, and Gen. Villa believes it would have to fall back on Torreon after a long range defense with the big guns which are said to be planted on the mountainside.

"Villa is confident that only a few more hours and little fighting will pass before his army is investing Torreon proper. He maintains that his force is so great as to completely overwhelm any outposts which they may meet before reaching the city of Torreon, believing that Gen. Velasco has kept the Torreon garrison intact to repel the rebel advance.

The skirmishes which the rebels have already engaged in have been more like play than a part of war. They have seemingly delighted in cavalry charges against the Federal outposts. In this little city the rout was disastrous for Velasco's troopers, they having lost 18 dead in one of the fantastic cavalry charges over 15 miles of desert into the heart of Bermejillo, where the rebels finally halted.

Officers Inspect Fortifications.

Officers from the extreme front returned today after viewing some of the Federal fortifications through powerful field glasses. They reported that the defenses were elaborate and laid out according to the latest approved methods so that troops may move from trench to trench without exposing themselves.

Fresh earth, whose appearance seemed to be artificial, was understood to mark the places of the enemies' big guns. Some of the barbed wire entanglements were visible.

Troops continued to pour into this city from the North. Practically all of the supplies from Yermo are now here.

Rebel Garrison Escapes Across Border When Attacked by Federals.

DEL RIO, Tex., March 23.—Twenty-seven Constitutional soldiers of the garrison of Las Vecas, Mex., opposite Del Rio, Tex., escaped when attacked by Federal troops yesterday and surrendered to the American patrol here. This was the garrison reported annihilated in yesterday's Eagle Pass dispatches.

DAN: Diamond received. It's splendid, dear. Glad you got it at Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 306 N. 6th st., on credit.

CANAL WORKERS ORGANIZE TO RESIST CUT IN PAY

Officials Say Move Will Not Interfere With Completion of the Waterway.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Organization of the mechanical forces on the Panama Canal zone to resist reductions in the present rates of pay have been brought to the attention of the officials here. It was said at the canal commission offices, however, that there was no danger of interference with the completion of the canal because a provision in the urgent deficiency appropriation bill continues the present rates of pay until the waterway is finished.

While the canal may be open to commercial traffic under certain limitations within three months, a great deal of work will remain to be done before the canal can be said to be actually finished.

The new Panama Canal act provides that employes in the zone may be paid not to exceed 25 per cent more than the wages current in the United States. It is estimated the present scale is from 40 to 50 per cent higher than in this country.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name, Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look for signature of E. W. Grove. Cures a cold in

Four A. & M. Delegates Ready to Yield to Initiative Demand



51,335 Bridge Names to Go Today to Election Board

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precincts would yield as many more signatures as the Fourth and Fifth.

The initiative petitions will be taken to the Board of Election Commissioners in automobiles. Representatives of the Citizens' Committee will be at the Election Commissioners' office during the verification of the petitions to watch the count.

LEGISLATURE TO ADJOURN TO SEE TY COBB PLAY

Members of Mississippi Assembly in Spirited Debate Over Resolution to See Game.

JACKSON, Miss., March 23.—Tyrus Cobb, baseball player, has the innocent cause of the most spirited fight of the session in the lower house of the Legislature today.

By a vote of 50 to 44 the House declared its purpose to make recess next Thursday afternoon when Cobb comes here with the Detroit team for an exhibition game with the New Orleans Pelicans. The younger element in the House was determined not to miss the opportunity of seeing the famous "Georgia peach" in action, while the older members wanted to hurry up remaining business on the calendar in order to adjourn sine die on Saturday.

After several vigorous speeches, the spirit of the great national game prevailed and opponents of the resolution went down on third strike.

Peace Treaty With Venezuela Signed.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—A new treaty has been signed between the United States and Venezuela by which all questions not capable of settlement by diplomacy shall be submitted to investigation by an international arbitration commission for at least one year. It is the fourteenth of Secretary Bryan's peace treaties.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

How Delegates Stand on Bridge Program

A POLL of the House of Delegates was made by Post-Dispatch reporters after the success of the initiative campaign was assured. The members were asked whether they would vote to pass an ordinance calling a special election on the $2,750,000 bond issue, and thus save the time and expense of two elections.

Four former supporters of the Alton & Mississippi $4,200,000 scheme—Delegates Deffaa, Ebrecht, Groeschel and Stuart—have pledged themselves to vote for one election. Six other members have committed themselves to the one-election program; seven are holding out for two elections, and 10 are noncommittal. Here is what the poll shows:

FOR ONE ELECTION.

Ward.
28—Linn R. Brokaw.
7—Edward H. Deffaa.
11—Henry F. Ebrecht.
17—A. R. Grierson.
24—Charles A. Groeschel.
14—Arthur O. Heisel.
10—Henry Klug.
25—Barney L. Schwartz.
27—Charles F. Stuart.
13—Taylor B. Wyrick.....10.

FOR TWO ELECTIONS.
4—James J. Gallagher.
23—Hubert J. Hoffner.
16—John R. McCarthy.
6—Herman J. Meisner.
2—Edward Scholl.
12—Anthony P. Singer.
26—Michael J. Whalen.....7.

NONCOMMITTAL—UNDECIDED.
19—Thomas J. Butler.
18—Thomas M. Byrne.
8—James F. Ford.
9—John J. Francis.
1—John E. Klose.
20—Edward A. Monahan.
3—John Moog.
15—R. Emmett Owen.
22—Andrew Scully.
5—Andrew Gazzolo, Speaker .....10.

Not in the city—Delegate Nathan H. Hall, Twenty-first Ward.

MISSING WIFE SOUGHT IN CITY, WOODS AND MARSH

CHICAGO, March 23.—Possibility that Mrs. Selma Hemmen, missing wife of John Hemmen, a Waukegan photographer, may be in Chicago, either wandering about or a patient in a hospital, caused a vigorous search by detectives today.

Mrs. Hemmen disappeared last Tuesday, and since then the woods and marshes around Waukegan have been searched by organized parties of citizens, soldiers and school boys.

Many of the searchers fear Mrs. Hemmen was trapped in the quicksands of a marsh known as Big Dead Lake, not far from Waukegan.

41 Blooded Army Horses Burn to Death.

FORT RILEY, Kan., March 22.—Forty-one blooded horses belonging to the mounted service school on the United States military reservation here were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the school stables today.

The Vandervoort Store Guarantees the **quality of the NEWTON Player Piano**



$395 buys an instrument backed by our confidence

THE old Roman law, "let the buyer beware," has no place in the Vandervoort Store. As a striking example, this sale of 200 NEWTON Player Pianos is surrounded by safeguards covering every detail of quality and thorough satisfaction. The purchase of one of these instruments calls for a small first payment followed by the payment of merely $2 each week until the price of $395 has been paid.

Protected by the plan and ideals of the Vandervoort Store the purchaser, even though he be hasty and inexperienced, has **nothing** to fear. When we say "Satisfaction guaranteed—or your money refunded," we mean it so literally that it is a waste of time to search for a double meaning in our promise.

Before we told the public about the NEWTON Player Piano we satisfied ourselves that it was the most desirable value at $395 (from the buyer's standpoint) in America. Deliberate judgment joined the names NEWTON and Vandervoort together.

As a matter of fact, we know that our actual risk is slight when we say, "You must be satisfied with the NEWTON, otherwise your money will be returned." There will be mighty few NEWTONS returned.

But we stand ready to return your money. Focus your thought on that point. It is the reason why you have nothing to "Beware" of in this sale.

In the year's exchange privilege, in the ten-year guarantee, in the careful protection extended to the family of the purchaser who dies, before payment is completed—in every feature of this great sale, **the buyer's confidence** is considered.

On the part of both seller and buyer this is a sale of confidence. We trust the NEWTON Player Piano and we ask you to put your confidence in our faith. If we are mistaken, we are big enough to bear the burden of the error. Each of our four distinct guarantees manfully shoulders **your risk.**

$2.00 Per Week

pays the balance after a small first payment has been made.

Your Money Back. If this Player Piano proves in any way unsatisfactory within 30 days' use, return it and receive back all money paid.

A Year's Exchange Period permits, without money loss, the exchange of this Player within a year for a similar or more expensive instrument. Vandervoort's and the manufacturer both **guarantee** this Player for a period of ten years.

The Family Is Protected by our custom of voluntarily cancelling the contract in the event of the purchaser's death before payment is completed and of **giving the instrument** to the family without further payments.

Nine Free Music Rolls are given with each Player Piano and the unlimited privilege of exchanging these rolls at the small exchange fee of five cents per roll.

A Player Bench to match the instrument, given free, and free delivery within 60 miles of St. Louis.

5c Secures a music roll by our Exchange Plan

Membership in the Vandervoort Music Roll Exchange Library gives you the use of thousands of selected 88-note rolls, including every style of music, at the cost of 5 cents a roll. The plan is this:

You may purchase any 88-note roll for $1.00 regardless of the list price (excepting "Solostyle" rolls); this roll will be marked as a part of the Exchange Library.

A roll thus purchased may be exchanged for any 88-note roll in our Music Library on payment of a 5-cent exchange fee; this roll may again be exchanged for the same fee and so on indefinitely.

Buy Your Home-furnishings on Our Liberal Credit Plan If Desired.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH
In connection with James McCreery & Co., New York

See Our New Book of Garments and Baby Carriages —Basement.

Everything for the Home for Spring and Summer Can Be Found Here in Great Variety

A Phenomenal Sale of a Cut Glass Maker's Samples and Surplus Stock at Savings of a Fourth to a Half

We placed on sale this morning the entire sample line and surplus stock from one of America's greatest Cut Glass factories. In this lot are hundreds of articles in new and unique designs.

This make of Cut Glass can only be had in Saint Louis at Vandervoort's, and the opportunity to procure one or more pieces of this beautiful ware—much of which is priced at actual cost of production—is being eagerly sought by those who are buying for personal use as well as for gifts.

You will find a high-stemmed Compote of large size, with fine floral cutting, at $1.95, that is worth $4.00, or a large, heavy Punch Bowl in floral design, worth $35.00, at $17.50.

Nappies worth $1.00 and $1.25 each, are now selling at **50c** and **65c**

Oil and Vinegar Bottles, worth $1.75 and $4 each, are now **95c** and **$1.95**

Eight-inch Bowls, valued at $2.50 to $13, will be sold at **$1.75** to **$6.50**

Celery Trays valued at $2.50 to $8.00, sale prices, **$1.75** to **$4.95**

Nine-inch Bowls in floral designs, valued at $6.00 to $8.00 each, sale prices **$3.50** to **$4.95**

Decanters valued at $5.00 to $8.00 each, are priced at **$2.95** to **$4.50**

The most elaborate showing of Cut Glass Vases that we have ever made is included in this sale. There are nearly five hundred of them, in many different shapes, sizes and beautiful cuttings, valued at $2.50 to $25.00 each, sale prices **$1.50** to **$15.00**

Ice Cream Trays, valued at $5.00 to $12.50 ea., sale prices, **$2.95** to **$7.50**

Fern Dishes, valued at $3.00 to $8.00 each, sale prices, **$1.95** to **$4.95**

Water Pitchers valued at $3 to $18 each, sale prices, **$1.95** to **$12.00**

Water Sets (six glasses and pitcher) valued at $6.00 to $25.00 a set, sale prices, **$3.50** to **$15.00**

Mayonnaise Sets valued at $4.00 to $6.00 each, sale prices, **$1.95** to **$3.50**

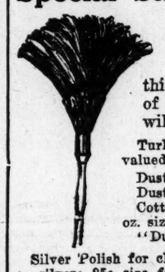
Perfume Bottles, valued at $1.50 to $7.00 each, sale prices, **95c** to **$3.50**

Puff Boxes, valued at $1.50 to $10.00 each, sale prices **$1.00** to **$5.00**

Punch Bowls, valued at $18.00 to $85.00, sale prices, **$10.00** to **$42.50**

Fourth Floor.

Special Sale of Housefurnishings for Those Housecleaning



In many homes housecleaning for Spring is now the order of the day. For this very purpose, we are offering a number of special values in just the articles you will need for housecleaning operations.

Turkey Feather Dusters that are well made and valued at 35c are offered at **25c**

Dust Brushes of good quality **25c**

Dustless Dust Cloths, the 25c size, special at **15c**

Cotton Mops that are well made in every way. 18-oz. size valued at 40c and specially priced at **29c**

"Dutch Cleanser," special at **3 for 25c**

Silver Polish for cleaning gold or silver; 25c size for **15c**

Scrub Buckets of first quality galvanized iron; 12-qt. size **12c**

"Scoural" for cleaning and scouring. Regularly 5c, now **8 for 25c**

15-lb. Waxing Brushes valued at $2.00, and special at **$1.39**

Johnson's or Sherwin-Williams Floor Wax in 1-lb. cans. 50c value for **39c**

"Crystal White" Soap Chips—a most convenient form to handle, and has the proper amount of borax added. Value 10c, special, **4 for 25c**

Two VERY SPECIAL Offerings

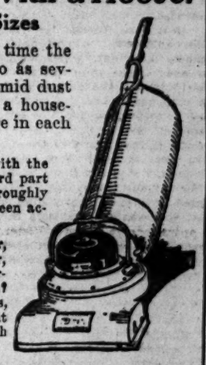
On Tuesday we will offer 150 of the Wizard Triangle Mop Outfits, consisting of one Triangle Oil Mop and a quart can of Wizard Oil—all of which is valued at $2.50—at the special price of **$1.19**

We shall place on sale for tomorrow 100 cases of "Crystal White" Soap, which sells regularly at 5c, at the very special price of **8 for 25c**

Not more than 16 bars to a customer.

Basement.

Clean Your Home With a *Hoover*
Suction Cleaner—Three Sizes



Spring housecleaning time is the time the housewife dreads—looks forward to as several days of back-breaking work, amid dust and dirt. Ever since she has been a housewife this has been the one black page in each year of her life.

Now comes "The Hoover Sweeper," with the ability and desire to take care of the hard part of this cleaning, and to do it more thoroughly and in less time than it has ever before been accomplished.

Can you, a housewife, refuse the Hoover, when in a few hours' time it will air, sweep, shake and suction-clean your floor-covering, removing all the embedded dirt? Can you refuse to let it clean your stairs, furniture, bedding, draperies, etc., without aches and pains which formerly went with this work?

The Baby Hoover, $35 The Hoover, Jr., $75 The Hoover, $110

Carpet Section, Fourth Floor

Complimentary Tickets to *THE KODAK EXHIBITION*

Photography in all its phases will be shown at the Kodak Exhibition at the Coliseum this week. There will be beautiful Pictorial Enlargements, fascinating Motion Picture Stories, interesting Lectures, superbly illustrated, and instructive Demonstrations.

Dr. Willian Torrence Stuchell will be the lecturer at this exhibition. Complimentary tickets may be obtained in the Kodak Department.

First Floor.

In Co-operation With the
Saint Louis Grand Opera Committee
We Announce a Recital of
Aida on the Victrola
With a Short Lecture by
MR. VICTOR LICHTENSTEIN
Tuesday, March 24th, at 3 P. M.
Victrola Salon, Sixth Floor

New Moravian Tablecloths

Our new importation of Moravian Damask Pattern Tablecloths and Napkins has just been received and will be ready for display tomorrow. There are many artistic floral and conventional designs shown, such as Peony, Oleander and Renaissance monogram.

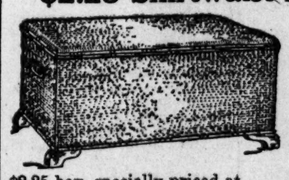
2x2-yard Cloth **$5.00** | 2x2½-yard Cloth **$6.25**
2x3-yard Cloth **$7.50**
22-inch Napkins to match, the dozen **$6.00**
24-inch Napkins to match, the dozen **$7.00**

Moravian Damask Pattern Cloths of a finer quality are to be had in Geranium, Chippendale and Rosary designs.

2x2-yard Cloth **$5.50** | 2x3-yard Cloth **$8.50**
2x2½-yard Cloth **$7.00** | 24-inch Napkins **$7.50**

Second Floor.

$2.25 Shirtwaist Boxes, $1.75



We have just received 50 Shirtwaist Boxes like the one illustrated. They are 28 inches long, 15 inches wide and 14 inches high, fitted with patent brass lid holder and covered with a good quality of matting. A regular $2.25 box, specially priced at **$1.75**

Fourth Floor.

See Our Display of New Furniture

Curtains and Drapery Materials for Spring and Summer Use

As many are busy with their Spring plans for Draperies and Curtains for their home, we feel sure that the special values listed below will receive more than usual attention as, in most every instance the saving is decidedly worth while.

We have a limited quantity of Marquisette in white, ivory and beige color to match the hand-made laces, that is worth 25c a yard and specially priced at **18c**

Imported Colored Scotch Madras in beautiful art designs and colorings. Value 40c a yard, special at **22c**

We are making a special offer of Rep Cretonnes with mercerized finish, including all of the most-wanted colorings in Chintz designs. Value 35c a yard, now **22c**

Plaid Scrim with mercerized finish and in ecru only. Value 40c a yard, special at **25c**

We have an unusually complete assortment of Curtain Edgings to match the colored cretonnes, scrims and nets, at prices that range upwards, the yard, from **3c**

Fourth Floor.

Our Interior Decorating Department Is Prepared to Serve You at Any Time

The "Housemate" Rotary at $32.00
Is a Splendid Machine



We have just a limited quantity of these Machines—in handsome Walnut cases—that we will sell at this very special price of **$32.00**

The "Housemate" is the finest rotary sewing machine on the market today. It embodies all of the best features of every sewing machine, while leaving out the nonessential ones. It will do exquisite work on all materials from chiffon to broadcloth and absolute satisfaction in every respect is assured.

If desired, you may purchase on our easy-payment plan of $1.00 at the time the machine is sent home and $1.00 a week thereafter until complete payment has been made.

Each machine is guaranteed for ten years, and is equipped with a full set of the finest steel attachments.

Sewing lessons will be given free to purchasers of these machines.

Fourth Floor.

PREMIER BLAMES ONE GENERAL FOR ULSTER TROUBLE

Asquith Also Declares Gen. Paget's Statement to His Officers Was "Misunderstood" and Additional Soldiery Are Only for Precaution and Not Aggression.

KING AND COMMONS TAKE CHARGE OF ROW

Monarch Is Strong for Conciliation and Leaders of Both Factions Explain—Tension Relieved by Government's Assurances.

LONDON, March 23.—"Misunderstanding" was the keynote of Premier Asquith's explanation today of the crisis brought about by the resignations of army officers when their regiments were ordered to prepare to proceed to Ulster.

Speaking in the House of Commons, the Prime Minister made it clear, however, that officers and men in the British army who refused to obey orders in opposition to the enforcement of home rule for Ireland were liable to dismissal.

Only brief statements have been forthcoming from the Secretary of War and the Premier and as far as these can be interpreted, the "misunderstanding" arose through Gen. Sir Arthur Paget placing a wrong construction on the orders given to him by the War Office and telling his subordinates they were to be employed in quelling an uprising in Ulster.

Premier Asquith rose to speak amid a great outburst of cheering. He said that after Mr. Law's speech it was necessary the country should know at once the kind of issue that was going to be presented.

No More Troops, He Says.

He continued: "As far back as December, last year, general officers of the army were informed it might be their duty to come to the assistance of the civil power and any officers domiciled in their area might be excused. If there had been any intention of an aggressive move toward Ulster this would have been the last step taken. The movements of troops are now concluded.

"Sir Arthur Paget has emphatically denied he ever used any such words as 'that this was the first step in a series of operations to conquer Ulster.' These words were wrongly attributed to the Commander-in-Chief in Ireland.

"Gen. Paget never received from the War Office any instructions justifying such a statement. It is an undoubted fact that Gen. Hubert Gough and other officers concerned interpreted their instructions in a wider sense.

"The Army Council is now satisfied there has been a misunderstanding and the officers also are satisfied."

State Secretary Received Illy.

Col. Seely, Secretary of State for War, was greeted derisively today during an explanation he gave of the matter. He, too, said it was a misunderstanding.

Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, had said "nothing can save the army now, except that a declaration that officers will not be compelled to engage in civil war against their wish." When he said officers refusing to serve against Ulster were only doing their duty, the labor members shouted:

"How about strikes?"

The entire affair generally is accepted as demonstrating that the army cannot be counted upon to fight Sir Edward Carson's volunteers if such a contingency should arise.

Tension Partly Relieved.

A much easier feeling has been created in the British Isles by the reassuring statement given out by Premier Asquith to the effect that the troop movements in Ulster had been ordered only as a precautionary measure for the protection of Government property.

Law Calls It "Paltering."

Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, declared the Government's procedure was an amazing instance of paltering with the House of Commons. The danger of the British army being destroyed before the country's eyes had, he said, come on the Government like a bolt from the blue sky.

Letter Says They Refuse to Serve.

Mr. Law then read a letter stating that officers who would not fight against the Ulster men would be dismissed from the service.

The opposition leader also read a letter in which Gen. Sir Arthur Paget had told the commanding officers of regiments that active operations were to begin against Ulster and that it was expected the country would be in a blaze by Saturday. The Irish commander in chief wrote he was in close communication with the War Office and had received instructions from headquarters to notify his officers that those of them domiciled in Ulster would be allowed to disappear and afterward be reinstated in their positions. They must, however, give their word of honor not to fight for Ulster. Other officers who were not prepared to undertake active operations against Ulster from conscientious or other scruples must resign or be dismissed.

Understood They'd Be Tried.

It was to be fully understood that Brigadier-Generals and other officers avoiding the service on an incorrect plea of domicile in Ulster would be tried by courtmartial. This Mr. Law contended demonstrated that Gen. Paget disagreed with Premier Asquith, who declared the measures were only precautionary, while Gen. Paget concluded that he was proceeding to conquer Ulster.

Mr. Law added: "The opposition always has held the view that the coercion of Ulster is an operation no government has the right to ask the army to undertake and in our view an officer who refuses is only fulfilling his duty."

Mr. Law asserted: "It will be difficult for the Prime Minister to convince the House that, with or without his knowledge, some of his colleagues did not make these movements of troops as part of a concerted plan to provoke or intimidate Ulster."

Mr. Law said: "The Government is attempting to coerce a portion of the United Kingdom without the authority of the electorate."

Gen. Paget, Brigadier-General Hubert Gough, commander of the cavalry brigade at the Curragh, and other officers attached to the Irish garrisons reached London this morning and immediately went to the War Office to confer with Gen. John Seeley, Secretary for War, and Field Marshal Sir John French. This conference was followed by a full meeting of the Cabinet.

Premier Asquith's Statement.

Prime Minister Asquith's authorized statement is as follows:

"First, the recent movements of trops in Ireland were of a purely precautionary character, as it is obvious that the policy of disposing small bodies of troops in Ulster would be perfectly useless from a strategic viewpoint. The intention was simply the protection of the arms and ammunition depots from a possible raid. As for the so-called naval movements, they simply consisted of the use of two small cruisers to convey a detachment of troops to Carrickfergus without marching them through Belfast. No further movement of troops is contemplated.

"Second, the rumors that warrants had been issued for the arrest of the Ulster leaders never had the very slightest foundation. Doubtless Sir Edward Carson and his supporters honestly believe the rumor, but the Government never has taken and does not contemplate any such step.

"Third, there seems to be a widespread impression abroad that the Government contemplates instituting a general inquisition into the intentions of officers in the event of their being asked to take up arms against Ulster. No such action is intended, if only for the reason that the employment of troops against Ulster is a contingency which the Government hopes may never arise."

King Urges Conciliation.

The dreaded Sunday passed without the slightest disturbance of order in Belfast or in Ulster. But the gravity of the crisis is fully indicated by the fact that the King canceled his engagements. The King has thrown his influence on the side of conciliation and seems to have made a personal appeal to the officers, who have resolved to resign and is equally exerting his influence with his ministers in the same conciliatory direction.

Proofs are not wanting of the desire on both sides that everything possible be done to avoid any chance of conflicts.

WHEN NOTHING TASTES GOOD TO YOU

You eat simply because you must. You are troubled with dyspepsia. It makes your life miserable. You have a bad taste in your mouth, a tenderness at the pit of your stomach, a feeling of puffy fullness, headache, heartburn, and sometimes nausea.

Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla. It acts on the stomach through the blood and also directly. Its beneficial effects are felt at once. It makes the rich red blood that is needed for perfect digestion.

Women of Ulster Signing the Covenant to Oppose Application of Home Rule in Ireland



WOMEN SIGNING THE ULSTER COVENANT.

Covenant Under Which Ulster Fights Home Rule

BELFAST, March 23.

ULSTER'S covenant, by which the followers of Sir Edward Carson have banded together to resist home rule for Ireland, follows:

"Being convinced in our consciences that home rule would be disastrous to the material well-being of Ulster as well as of the whole of Ireland, subversive of our civil and religious freedom, destructive of our citizenship and perilous to the unity of the empire, we, whose names are underwritten, men of Ulster, loyal subjects of His Gracious Majesty King George V, humbly relying on the God whom our fathers in days of stress and trial confidently trusted, do hereby pledge ourselves in solemn covenant throughout this our time of threatened calamity to stand by one another in defending for ourselves and our children our cherished position of equal citizenship in the United Kingdom and in using all means which may be found necessary to defeat the present conspiracy to set up a home rule parliament in Ireland. And in the event of such a parliament being forced upon us we further solemnly and mutually pledge ourselves to refuse to recognize its authority. In sure confidence that God will defend the right we hereto subscribe our names. And further, we individually declare that we have not already signed this covenant."

The agreement was drawn up on "Ulster day," Sept. 28, 1912. At the bottom of the covenant, in bold type, is the line "God Save the King."

$1000 FOR EYE PAINTING

Chicagoan to Wear Miniature of Wife's Optic in Scarf Pin.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Ira M. Cobe, the traction line owner, and his wife recently commissioned Alyn Williams, the English miniature painter, to make paintings of their eyes, paying him $1000 each for them.

The painting of Mr. Cobe's eye will adorn a ring on the little finger of Mrs. Cobe, while the painting of Mrs. Cobe's eye will be worn in a scarf pin by Mr. Cobe. The eye of Mrs. Cobe's ring was done on ivory in water colors and set in platinum with 20 diamonds clustered about it.

Noted Chicago Educator Dies.

CHICAGO, March 23.—John Cowles Grant, for 34 years principal of a private preparatory school here, died yesterday of cancer. Prof. Grant was widely known as an educator. Hundreds of sons of wealthy families of the West had prepared for college under his tutelage. He was born in Avon, Conn.

The Changing Age

Girls and boys from 14 to 19 years of age undergo physical changes which tax their strength to the utmost and the strain is always apparent from pale cheeks, colorless lips, and tired bodies—sometimes eruptions of the skin and the utter lack of the ambition and animation with which their younger years were filled.

Budding into womanhood and manhood, with the duties of school or business, demands concentrated nourishment which is readily convertible into red blood corpuscles, energy and strength, and the very best thing for this changing age is the medical nutriment in Scott's Emulsion—it possesses the rare blood-making properties of cod liver oil in a predigested form; hypophosphites for the nervous system, with the healing, soothing qualities of pure glycerine.

Its nourishing force promotes assimilation, yields direct returns in abundant red blood, fills hollow cheeks, tones the nerves, makes all good food do good, and does it in a natural easy manner.

The sustaining nourishment in Scott's Emulsion is so helpful to this changing age that it should never be neglected—every druggist has it.

12-112 Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

RUN ON A DENVER BANK

DENVER, Colo., March 23.—Because of rumors concerning the condition of the German-American Trust Co., several hundred small depositors today began drawing out their savings. Godfrey Schirmer, president of the institution, said it was in excellent condition, adding: "We will pay over money to the depositors as fast as it is requested and meet all demands."

The Denver Clearing House Association pronounces the company solvent, and the same thing was said at the office of the State Bank Examiner.

RATE INJUNCTION IS DISSOLVED UPON PLEA BY FOLK

Judge Adams Holds Commerce Commission Has Exclusive Jurisdiction in Wabash Case.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has exclusive jurisdiction over the regulation of interstate railroad rates, it was decided by United Circuit Judge Adams, Monday. Judge Adams dissolved a temporary injunction restraining the Wabash Railroad from filing new rates for shipments from the Illinois Glass Works at Alton, Ill.

Joseph W. Folk, chief counsel for the Interstate Commerce oCmmission, said that the decision clears the way for the proposed five per cent increase of freight rates on Eastern lines, if the Interstate Commerce Commission grants it, in that it would prevent any shipper from enjoining the enforcement of the increased rates.

Judge Adams read a lengthy opinion analyzing the points of law involved, but the decision was not given out in full, as the Judge had had no opportunity to correct its text.

In substance, however, the decision upholds every point made by Folk when he appeared before the Court, Saturday, to argue on behalf of the commission against the making permanent of an injunction restraining the Wabash Railroad from filing new rates that would cancel the present division of through tariffs with the Illinois Terminal Railroad, a subsidiary to the Illinois Glass Co.

Judge Adams decided that it was for the Interstate Commerce Commission to decide whether a railroad was an industrial line or a common carrier, and for the Interstate Commerce Commission alone to decide, in the first instance, whether a railroad could file new schedules of rates.

The Wabash Railroad filed the new rates soon after the Interstate Commerce Commission decided that certain concessions to industrial lines were in reality rebates and, therefore, improper.

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Americans Order Statue of Pitt.

LONDON, March 23.—Lady Paget, wife of Gen. Sir Arthur Paget, who formerly was Miss Stefens of New York, and other American women resident in foreign lands, have commissioned Francis Duerwente Wood, the sculptor, to make a statue of William Pitt for the Capitol at Washington to commemorate the peace centenary.

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FAVORS GIVEN TO MME. CAILLAUX CAUSE PRISON RIOT

Eight Hundred Other Women in Cells Shout Protests Against Treatment.

HER HEARING RESUMED

Revelations Due to Assassination Forecast Other Cabinet Resignations.

PARIS, March 23.—The reappearance before the investigating Magistrate of Mme. Caillaux, assassin of Gaston Calmette, editor of Le Figaro, aroused great interest in Paris today. She was taken from the Saint Lazare Prison to the Palace of Justice in custody of a number of detectives. Strong guards were placed near the law courts to prevent demonstrations.

Madame Caillaux protested today when she noticed some photographers stationed near the room where the Magistrate is conducting his investigation into the crime. She hid her face in her muff, and later the photographers were expelled from the building.

At the hearing Madame Caillaux was confronted by Princess de Masagne-Estradere, who had been called in connection with the prisoner's claim that she had shot M. Calmette to prevent the publication of private letters.

A mutiny is threatened among the 800 women incarcerated in the St. Lazare Prison, all of whom object to the granting of many privileges to Mme. Caillaux. The punishment cells of the jail are filled with refractory women, who continue to shriek protests against "discrimination."

Attorneys representing a number of the prisoners awaiting trial in the penitentiary made representations today to the Ministry of Justice, demanding that the cells should be heated and that better food should be supplied to their clients.

Many rumors were current in political circles today as to the probable fall of the French Cabinet as a sequel to the revelations growing out of the Calmette assassination, that Government influence had been brought to bear to procure a postponement of the trial of Henri Rochette, alleged swindler.

In the lobbies of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate it was said that announcement would be made shortly of the resignations of Albert Lebrun, Minister for the Colonies; Rene Viviani, Minister of Public Instruction, and Andre Maginot, under-Secretary of State for War.

It was argued among members that in case the Cabinet continues in office it probably will be only because the Opposition groups are unwilling to form a Government until after the elections in April.

Joseph Caillaux, former Minister of Finance, at his own request, went before the Chamber of Deputies committee investigating the Rochette affair today and denied that he had either directly or indirectly requested Maurice Bernard, the lawyer representing Rochette, to ask for a postponement of the trial. He said:

"I give you my word of honor that I did nothing more than transmit to Ernest Monis, then Premier, the inquiries made by Rochette's lawyers as to whether the Government would oppose a postponement of the trial."

CHEER UP, Jack. Come down to Loftis Bros., 308 N. 6th st., and pick out one of those sparklers for her. Easy. You know.

YALE STUDENTS TO VOTE ON HONOR 'EXAM' SYSTEM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 23.—Details of the honor system in examinations recommended by the Academic Senior Council at Yale, with approval of the faculty, and acceptance of which is to be voted on by the students, March 30, were made public today.

The plan provides for the withdrawal of all supervision by the faculty of the honesty of examinations and of other work in the college and leaves the question of honesty to each individual and to the public sentiment of the college as a whole. Each student on entering college is to sign a card signifying his acceptance of the system. At the end of each examination paper the student is to certify that he has complied with the requirements, but no one supervises him to see that he has done so.

There is no student or faculty provision for penalties for violation of the code.

BOYS CONFESS ROBBERIES

Two negro youths have confessed to the North Market street police that they have robbed several clothes lockers and two chicken sheds in the last three weeks. They are George Allen and Jesse Harris of 410 South Second street. Allen was caught in the locker room of the Laclede Gas Light Co.'s plant, Levee and Mound street, Sunday morning by James Drew, the night engineer. He implicated Harris in several burglaries.

Among the burglaries he admitted were a previous one in the locker room of the gas company, in which five lockers were broken open and several articles of clothing and a watch and chain were taken; one at the Rutger street plant of the gas company, in which clothing, shoes and a watch were stolen, and at the locker room of the Portland Cement Co., Prospect Hill, where a hat and $3.50 were taken.

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PASTOR IN COURT OPPOSES WIDOW'S CLAIM ON ESTATE

Suit of Mrs. Maud Close for $10,000 of R. R. Gorden Wealth Is Begun.

LEFT $30,000 TO CHURCH

Woman Alleges Bachelor Agreed to Pay Her Sum for Attending Him During Illness.

The trial of the suit of Mrs. Maud Close, a widow, of 625 North King's highway, who is suing the estate of Randall R. Gorden for $10,000 Monday attracted members of the First Christian Church, headed by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. John L. Brandt, to the Probate Court. The suit is based on a claim for services to Gorden, a bachelor, 65 years old, who died last September, leaving an estate of $60,000, of which $30,000 was willed by him to the First Christian Church.

Mrs. Close, an attractive brunette, about 35 years old, sat beside her counsel, R. P. Williams. Judge Holtcamp sustained an objection to her testifying, saying she would have to establish her claim by other testimony.

In his opening statement her lawyer told the jury she became acquainted with Gorden in 1911, when she was employed as a demonstrator at Luyties' market and that Gorden fell in love with her and wanted to marry her. She rejected him because of the difference in their ages, her lawyer said. Subsequently she accepted an offer to be his companion and to act as his nurse, ner counsel asserted.

Gorden, Williams said, represented he was feeble and needed someone to wait on him. He declared his client carried meals to Gorden and treated him when he had rheumatism. For this attention, it is alleged, Gorden agreed to pay Mrs. Close $10,000. The services, it is claimed, continued from the summer of 1911 until a short while before Gorden's death.

P. S. Brown of Moberly, Mo., a Wabash conductor, a witness for the claimant, testified he became acquainted with Mrs. Close at a department store in this city in May, 1912, and that she invited him to call. The witness said Gorden became confidential while he was visiting Mrs. Close and said he had employed Mrs. Close as his nurse and companion, and that she was to accompany him to London.

"He wanted to know if Mrs. Close was my sweetheart and I told him I was a married man," said Brown.

Brown also testified that Gorden told him he wanted to marry Mrs. Close, but that she would not consent and that then he made the arrangement by which she was to be paid $10,000 as his attendant. Brown said Gorden declared $5000 of this sum was to be spent in educating Mrs. Close's son, Jay, 15 years old.

The son also was a witness for his mother, testifying he had seen her carrying meals to Gorden when the latter was sick in his room at 2227 Locust street.

The estate is resisting the claim. Public Administrator Newell is in charge of the property. Gorden's two brothers and the church are the beneficiaries. The brothers live in Christian County, Ill., where the testator died.

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"MOTHER" JONES AGAIN ARRESTED BY MILITIA

WALENSBURG, Colo., March 23.—After a week's freedom, "Mother" Mary Jones is again a military prisoner in the strike zone. The 84-year-old strike leader was taken from a southbound Colorado & Southern train here this morning by Capt. H. C. Nickerson, acting under orders of Adjutant-General John Chase, and placed in the county hospital under military guard.

Following her release and transportation to Denver, where she interviewed the Governor, several days ago, it was announced by her attorneys she would return to the scene of the strike. She was apprised she would be arrested if she re-entered the district.

Her lawyers had arragned to bring habeas corpus proceedings for her release in the event of her rearrest and ask the Supreme Court to reverse a decision that the military has the right to arrest and hold persons they deem objectionable.

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WAY IS BEING CLEARED IN HASTE FOR TOLLS BILL

President Says He Scents Filibuster; Remarks That Minorities Always Filibuster.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—President Wilson today declared that it looked as if there had been a filibuster on the rivers and harbors bill to further delay on the Panama tolls repeal, and remarked that minorities always filibuster. His statement had a quick effect at the Capitol.

The rivers and harbors bill, after which the repeal bill will follow, was given right of way, despite the fact that District of Columbia legislation was entitled to the time. Administration supporters predicted that the House would take up the repeal bill by Thursday, and claimed the support of approximately 260 Democrats and 38 Republicans, which would make an easy majority.

Senator Thornton, Democrat, of Louisiana had read to the Senate a resolution purporting to have been adopted at a St. Patrick's day gathering in New Orleans, saying the signers viewed with "pity and contempt the other Senator now misrepresenting Louisiana," after having congratulated Senator Ransdell for his stand against repeal. Senator Thornton supports the repeal.

Senator Thornton characterized the resolution as "scurrilous," saying he did not believe it had been adopted at any public meeting of Irish-American citizens.

While President Wilson has no doubt about the passage of the administration bill to repeal the tolls exemption clause, he is anxious it be brought to a vote promptly. He has been advised a vote probably will be taken as soon as the rivers and harbors bill has been disposed of.

He denied a charge made on the floor of the Senate that he had attempted to limit the tolls debate in the House. He said that while he had no part in suggesting a rule to limit debate, he hoped there would be one.

In reply to questions as to whether he thought any improper influences were being brought to bear against the repeal, the President declared he had not sought to find any and did not suspect them.

He referred to the controversy as a difference of opinion among Democrats and pointed that a majority of House Democrats really never had voted for the tolls exemption and that the act was passed by a coalition of Republicans with a minority of Democrats.

The President believes several Republicans will support him in his position to repeal the tolls exemption.

Women Are Now Entitled to the Ballot, Declares Dr. Anna Shaw

She Tells Why Amendment Is Needed

National Suffrage Leader Asserts Militant Tactics Are Un-American — Doesn't Approve of Threats Against Democrats in Women's Fight for Congressional Action.

By ALLEYNE IRELAND.
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 23.

THE cause of woman suffrage has no more distinguished champion living today than Miss Anna Howard Shaw, who has been for 10 years president of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association. Unlike a great many women whose names have become prominently connected with the movement merely because of their wealth, their social standing or their sensational methods, Miss Shaw can show on her own behalf a most interesting record of excellent work in more than one field, a record of such a character that her opinions derive an unrivaled importance as well from her demonstrated practical efficiency as from her high intellectual qualities.

Born in the dismal town of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, Miss Shaw was brought to this country by her parents at the age of 4. In 1878 she was graduated from the theological department of Boston University and seven years later as a doctor of medicine from its medical school. She was pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Hingham, Mass., during 1878, and at East Dennis, Mass., for the following seven years.

First Woman Minister.

In 1880 she was ordained, being the first woman to enter the ministry of the Protestant Church. Upon resigning her pastorate in 1885 she was appointed lecturer for the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage Association. From 1886 to 1892 she occupied the important post of national superintendent of franchise for the Women's Christian Temperance Union. In 1892 she was elected vice-president-at-large, and in 1904 president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association.

Miss Shaw has spoken in every state of the Union and has addressed legislatures as well as committees of both houses of Congress on the subject of woman's suffrage.

Notwithstanding Miss Shaw's cheerful readiness to talk over suffrage affairs with any one who seeks enlightenment, she is, in fact, one of the most difficult people to see, for her vigorous activities in the cause keep her constantly on the move. An unfortunate accident in which she broke an ankle detained her in New York recently for a few days, and thus I had an opportunity of talking over with her some recent phases of the votes for women crusade. My first inquiry was directed toward discovering whether or not Miss Shaw approved of the campaign which is being waged to bring the suffrage question before Congress.

Wants an Amendment.

"I wish to say most emphatically," explained Miss Shaw, "that I consider Congress to be the source to which women of this country must first apply if they wish to obtain political enfranchisement.

"What we want is that Congress should frame an eighteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution, prohibiting the states from disfranchising any person on the ground of sex, just as the fifteenth amendment prohibits disfranchisement because of race, color or previous condition of servitude."

"But, after all," I suggested, "the only man who votes in the United States today by the sole authority of the Constitution is the negro; for everyone else the conditions of voting are laid down by the states."

"It is true that the qualifications for voting are determined by each state," replied Miss Shaw, "but our position is not that of persons seeking a new right by the introduction of new qualifications. The fact is that women are now constitutionally entitled to vote, and that the partial-suffrage states—those in which men only are allowed to vote—are withholding our right from us.

"It is difficult to understand how anyone who will take the trouble to familiarize himself with the circumstances can fail to see that the woman suffrage movement in this country is not an agitation to secure a vital change in the principle of American citizenship, but to bring to life an element of it which has always existed but which the practice of some states and the decisions of some courts have condemned to inactivity.

"The Constitution prescribes a republican form of government, guarantees equality before the law and states with the utmost clearness that all persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof are citizens of the United States and of the state wherein they reside. And further than this the fourteenth amendment declares that no state shall make or enforce any law which shall



REV. ANNA W. SHAW.

abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States. Not a word in these guarantees about male and female citizens as separate classes of citizens.

Fifteenth Amendment.

"After the end of the Civil War the fifteenth amendment was carried. It states that the right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged on account of race color or previous condition of servitude. Now a slave is a person who is subjected to the will of another, and women are so subjected politically, and are therefore in a state of political servitude.

"Nothing can better illustrate the condition of mental obscurity in which the question of woman's suffrage is approached than two decisions of the Supreme Court, in one of which it is declared that the mere fact of a negro being a citizen entitles him to vote, while in the other it is held that although a woman may be a citizen, she has no right to vote.

"I would, perhaps, attach more importance than I do to the argument that suffrage is entirely a matter for the several states to decide if it were not for the fact that the theory of states rights is always vigorously invoked when a state wants to do something which is contrary to the general sentiment or interest of the country at large, but which is conveniently buried when either the Democrats or the Republicans in a state want to get something done by the Federal Government.

Women's Fight in Congress.

"Our attempts to secure women's suffrage through the action of Congress began in 1869, but it was not until 1872 that the matter was taken up in Washington as a regular part of our activities. We have had several minority reports in our favor in the House, first from the former Suffrage Committee, and one at least from the Judiciary Committee. In the Senate the Suffrage Committee has made five favorable reports, but only one vote has been taken on the subject in the Senate, which went against us 34 to 16—the Washington wits giving our supporters the nickname of 'the sweet sixteen.'

"In deciding to keep up our efforts to get favorable action by Congress we have all history on our side, for there has never been any class of people in any country which has been compelled to appeal directly to the mass of voters to get the right of suffrage. In other countries it is granted by the Parliament; and here we labor under a peculiar disability if we go directly to the voter, for we must submit the question to a great number of foreigners who are unfamiliar with the American spirit.

"This reference to foreigners suggests the amusing reflection that, although the alleged ignorance of women is sometimes urged as a reason why we should not be allowed to vote, yet when it is suggested that male immigrants—prospective voters—should submit to a literacy test the proposal raises a howl all over the country.

"While we are still looking to Congress for the final act of justice, we have every reason to be satisfied with the progress we are making in the several states. At the next national election women will vote in 10 states for President and for members of Congress in nine, which gives us a tremendous political power. This year we have campaigns in seven states where suffrage will be voted on at the fall elections, and we hope to add three or four of these to our conquests."

Opposed to Militancy.

"In view of all this," I asked, "do you think that militancy has any place in the United States as a part of the suffrage movement?"

"No place whatever!" exclaimed Miss Shaw. "It is un-American and un-democratic. Any attempt to introduce here the militant methods of the extreme branch of the suffragists in England will be vigorously opposed not only by the anti-suffragists but by the large majority of American suffragists. We have in this country a very small band of women inclined toward militancy, and they for the most part fell under the influence of Mrs. Pankhurst and the English movement.

"Nothing could be more harmful to our cause here than militant tactics, even from the standpoint of policy. You can't go to legislatures and committees and ask for the vote with a club in your hand.

"Whatever some of our younger and more enthusiastic women may think, experience has taught the older and more experienced of us that woman is never so great a disadvantage as when she employs force to attain her ends. One of the underlying convictions on which the whole woman's suffrage movement is based is that in granting women the vote there will be introduced into the body politic an element which will advance the cause of peace and will contribute to a more harmonious and higher tone of government, and this cannot be brought about by force.

"I consider the destruction of the Rokeby Venus one of the most inexcusable acts of vandalism which has ever been committed by a woman. It is an incalculable loss to all the world, and the perpetrator of the deed should receive the punishment it deserves. Still that will not restore its marred beauty, nor give back to future generations the priceless treasure which belongs to all ages."

Attitude Toward Democrats.

"Holding these opinions," I said, "you surely do not approve the action of those women who threaten to work against the Democratic party on account of its failure to enact a suffrage amendment to the Constitution at this session."

"Certainly not. We are constantly emphasizing the fact that the National Association is absolutely nonpartisan. When Congress has passed the amendment which we seek it will have to be submitted to the several states, and to antagonize Democrats in Congress and then to go into the states and ask for Democratic votes would be political suicide for us."

See DEEMS, the Letter Man. Addressing, Fine Printing, 720 Olive.

SUPREME COURT RECESS

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Supreme Court took a recess today until April 6 without announcing decisions in any of the more important cases pending.

Italian Vice-Admiral Dies.

ROME, March 23.—Vice-Admiral Faravelli, who was in command of the Italian warships at the bombardment of Tripoli in October, 1911, died yesterday.

WOMAN WANTS TO HELP OTHERS

By Telling How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.



I had a female trouble that annoyed me continually. I tried doctors and all kinds of medicine for several years, but was not cured until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I hope my testimonial will help other suffering women to try your wonderful medicine."—Mrs. Mary R. Miller, Box 453, Miami, Okla.

Another Woman Who Has Found Health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lindsborg, Kansas.—"Some years ago I suffered with terrible pains in my side, also backache, and I was at times awfully nervous. I took three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now enjoying good health. I will be glad to recommend your medicine to any woman suffering with female trouble and you may publish this letter."—Mrs. A. L. Smith, R. No. 3, Box 60, Lindsborg, Kansas.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

Sore Throat

neglected, may develop into serious ailments. *Remove* the inflammation with

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which easily conquers croup, asthma, tonsilitis, and other troubles of the throat and chest.

Mrs. L. N. Bragdon, Sorrento, Me., writes: "Enclosed find 25 cents, for which send bottle of Sloan's Liniment, which is the only thing I can get to stop sore throat for me. It also works wonderfully on my flesh, stopping pains of all kinds."

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13,000 Changes in Bell Telephone Directory.

In a newspaper advertisement published last week by the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co., it was stated that 13,000 changes in listings take place in each issue of the Bell Telephone directory. This fact was cited to show that in order to avoid calling wrong numbers it is essential that only the latest issue of the directory should be referred to by telephone users. The company, according to a statement given out by General Manager Hiss today, intends to conduct an educational advertising campaign in the newspapers offering to the public suggestions which, if adopted, will aid subscribers to use the telephone to the best advantage. Each advertisement will contain a suggestion as to the proper use of the telephone. Two advertisements will appear each week during the next four months.



To Mothers:

You should give your children Father John's Medicine when they have a cough or are run down, because it is a pure and wholesome food medicine which will give them new strength to fight off the disease. Father John's Medicine is a safe medicine for children because it contains no alcohol nor dangerous drugs.

SAVE The Other Nickel SAVE

KITCHEN KLENZER is the only 5c Cleanser guaranteed to be as good as others sold at twice the price.

Look for the Name on Every Can



SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY

At **KROGER'S** Clean, Bright Sanitary Stores

POTATOES Nice, white, dry, Wisconsin rurals, nice mealy cookers, 25c value, special.. per peck, **19c**

SAUERKRAUT Positively the very finest, long thin cut, thoroughly cured, snow white..... 3 lbs., **10c**

Mince Meat, Loose, mince meat, pound, 10c
Gilt Edge Brand; high-grade; large Mason jar..... 22c
Avondale package mince meat; finest quality..... 7½c

Milk Hominy, Large, pure white grains in milk; nutritious and economical; 10c value; can.. **6c**

Rib or Loin Pork Chops, Fine, firm, tender meat, pound . . **17c**

Gallon Catsup Strictly high grade, in gallon glass jugs. 60c

Rolled Oats Country Club brand; new goods, nice, clean white oats; large round containers; special, 3 packages... 25c

Ammonia Double strength, pint bottle..... 3½c
Powdered Ammonia; regular 10c can..... 7½c
Bluing; good quality; pint bottles; 3 for..... 10c

Furniture Polish 20th Century; will produce best results; large 25c bottle... 19c

Furnishine Best metal polish large 20c can..... 12c

Sapolio Kitchen or Hand; regular 10c cans... 7½c

Lilac Soap 3 bars for..... 10c

Pure Borax Country Club; in large sift top cans... 10c

Paper Cleaner Avondale brand; cleans wall paper, curtains, etc.; regular 10c size can..... 7½c

Hen Feed Clean, nourishing grains; 100-lb. sack..... $1.75

Red Devil Lye St. Louis made; can..... 5c

DOUBLE STAR STAMPS ALL DAY TUESDAY

Thousands of shrewd St. Louisans have set aside their shopping day until Tuesday, because on that day two of the valuable Star Stamps, instead of the usual one, are given with each cash purchase. They realize the genuine value of Star Stamps—they know that a book can be redeemed for $2.00 in cash or $2.50 in merchandise—also that they can redeem ½ books. So do all your shopping here on Tuesday.

Lace Curtains $3 Lace Curtains — High-grade Nottingham, madras, saxony, scrim and bobbinet Curtains, up to 3½ yards long; both white and ecru and extra special for Tuesday (Fourth Floor)..... $1

WE GIVE & REDEEM STAR TRADING STAMPS

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Room Rugs $25 Axminster Rugs — Regular 9x12 size in floral, Oriental, medallion and Persian designs; beautiful shades of tan, green, red and old rose effects; while $4 last, on Tuesday..... $14.95

40 GOOD REASONS

$1.00 Kid Gloves Two-clasp kid Gloves for women and misses, braided or Paris point backs, assorted colors and sizes; special (Main Fl.), **25c**

Women's 35c Union Suits Low neck, sleeveless; nicely trimmed with good substantial lace at knee (Main Floor), **15c**

15c Children's Hose 15c boys' and girls' fine or heavy ribbed Hose, double heels and toes; special, Tuesday, only, **6c**

Women's $3 Patent Pumps Women's $3.00 patent Pumps, with Cuban heel, silk ribbon bow, in all sizes; on sale (Main Floor), **$1.00**

Men's 25c Boston Garters Men's 25c Boston Garters, in all colors, each sealed in an individual package; extra special; Tuesday (Main Floor), **10c**

Men's 50c Blue Chambray Shirts Men's 50c Blue Chambray Shirts, with collar attached; cut extra full and trimmed with nice white pearl buttons, and come in all sizes (Main Floor), **25c**

$10 Suits Men's all-wool Suits of neat dark and medium shades; all sizes (Second Floor), **$4.75**

$1 Girls' Dresses Made of gingham, percale and chambray; trimmed with folds and piping, others have large collars; lace trimmed; pleated or plain skirts; 6 to 14 (Third Floor)..... **55c**

12c Children's Drawers Of good quality muslin, finished with tucks and hemstitching; 2 to a customer; sizes 2 to 12 years (2d Floor.)..... **8c**

$2.00 Jap Silk Waists Made of excellent quality Jap Silk, shirt style, plaited net, frill around collar and down front; all sizes; Tuesday... **79c**

Manufacturers' Surplus Stock Sale Consisting of women's and misses' ready-to-wear garments, that are right up-to-the-minute in style and colors, that can be bought at about ½ regular price here tomorrow.



$15.00 Values Of new Suits of the very latest models, in the many different styles & dressy effects, the new short coats, some with kimono style sleeves, lined with soft peau de cygne, skirt with two or three tier effects or ruffles, in colors of tango, Copenhagen, black, tan, navy and several others in women's and misses' sizes; special..... **$7.95**

$7.95 Spring Skirts New Spring Skirts in all-wool serge, crepe, mohair, Shepherd checks, plaids, granite cloth and fancy mixtures, etc., made in the most popular Spring styles; some with tunic, peg-top, two and three tier, draped and the new corkscrew skirt; others plain tailored; entire lot of 500 at, your choice (Third Floor)..... **$2.99**

$1.00 88-Note Music Rolls For Player-Pianos; classic, sacred and popular; from our library; special (2d Fl.)..... **15c**

$5 Silk Petticoats At 8:30 sharp will start our sale of sample Silk Petticoats of finest taffetas, messalines and a few charmeuse satins; accordion pleated flounces; all new Spring shades; also evening shades; values up to $5.00; special (Second Floor) **$1.99**

75c Bal. Dresser Scarfs 18x54-in. linen Mexican drawn-work centers and well-made Battenberg borders (Second Floor)..... **33c**

35c Vanity Cases German Silver Vanity Cases; contain coin holder, mirror and powder puff; neatly engraved; from 1:30 until sold; special, **15c**

$1.50 Traveling Slippers These Slippers made of genuine leather; nicely lined; come in neat leather cases; in all sizes; per pair (Main Floor—Aisle 6), **55c**

79c Shadow Flouncings Excellent quality of 27-inch shadow flouncing in white, ecru and cream; many beautiful patterns in floral and scroll designs; special (Main Floor—Aisle 5), **50c**

30c Ribbons 2000 yards Ribbon; latest colors and designs; suitable for hair, sashes and millinery; 30c value, **15c**

20c Printed Crepes Fancy and plain Crepes; pretty floral patterns; an ideal wash fabric for Spring dresses and underwear; some 36-inch included; special for Tuesday (Main Floor—Aisle 2), **10c**

25c White Crepe Voile 40-inch white Crepe Voiles, of an exceptional fine quality; the most popular material this season; a wonderful value, at yard (Main Floor—Aisle 2), **8c**

25c Sanitary Apron Ladies' sanitary rubber Apron; extra large size; real 25c value, at only (Main Floor—Notion Dept.), **11c**

69c Wool Suitings A large assortment of Wool Suiting in brocade, crepe, serge, mohair, diagonals, whipcord and Shepherd checks; the largest assortment of wool suiting we have had in years; from 36 to 48 inches wide; all firmly woven materials; until sold, yard (Main Floor—Aisle 1)..... **44c**

$1.25 Hemmed Napkins, 6 for 38c Made of heavy bleached satin damask, hemmed Napkins, ready for use; regular $1.25 value; Tuesday, special, ½ doz. (Main Floor—Aisle 2), **38c**

25c Value Rhinestone Buttons Bright brilliant rhinestone settings on black and white foundations; much in vogue for waist trimmings and hair bands; special Tuesday; no mail orders (Main Floor—Aisle 2), **7½c**

59c 36-Inch Brocaded Silk Crepe Season's most wanted colors, including light and dark colors, brocaded in newest and most desirable designs; especially suitable for waists, dresses, etc.; some colors are limited quantity, yard (Main Floor—Aisle 1)..... **39c**

10c Dress Goods, 2½c Dress Ginghams, Percales, Madras, Comfort Calicoes and Dress Calicoes, in remnants; all good quality; fine lengths; just the thing for house dresses, waists, etc.; special, per yard (Basement), **2½c**

Tuesday All Day 15c Satine Highly Mercerized Satine, in all latest colors, in lengths suitable for aprons, skirts and pillow tops; our regular 15c value (Basement), **5c**

25c Table Linen Silver Bleached Table Damask; 60 in. wide; in assorted patterns; our regular 25c value (In Basement); per yard, **12½c**

$2.00 Children's Shoes This lot consists of white canvas and patent leather; high and low Children's and Misses' up-to-date Shoes; Tuesday (Basement), **79c**

98c White Waists Misses' and Women's White Waists; striped and plain lawn; sailor collar and embroidered front; open in back and front; sizes 34 to 44; Tuesday (Basement), **39c**

25c Boys' Pants Boys' Pants; made of heavy material; come in dark colors; well sewed; made bloomer style; assorted sizes; regular 25c value; Tuesday only (Basement), **10c**

50c Dress Shirts On Tuesday, in our Shirt Dept., we will sell a limited quantity of Dress Shirts; made of percale and madras; in stripes and figures; a 50c value at (Basement), **13c**

$1.00 Rope Portieres Made of heavy velvet chenille cord with very pretty festoon drape; all colors, Tuesday, Fourth Floor, at **43c**



200 Sq. Ft. Roll Heavily galvanized Poultry Netting; 4 ft. high; on sale at 9 a. m. Tuesday, while 100 rolls last, **79c**

$3.00 Rocker High spindle back; genuine cobbler seat; well braced and bolted; finished in golden oak or mahogany; in this great manufacturers' surplus sale; Tuesday, only, **$1.79**



$2 Curtain Stretcher 6x12-ft. size; has nickel-plated movable pins; specially priced for Tuesday, **95c**

$6 Mattress Made of a very fine grade of sanitary air blown white cotton with plain edge and art ticking; special price on 6th Floor, **$3.75**



$1.50 Arc Light; complete, for gas; very good for reading; special, **69c**

75c Linoleum 4 yds. wide; made of pure cork, linseed oil and rubber; extra heavy; comes in a good selection of choice 1914 patterns; a rare bargain at 75c; very special Tuesday at, yd., **37c**

Garlands

Special Tuesday Sale of

SILK SUITS

Style Exactly as Illustrated—a Regular $29.50 Value, for

$21.00



The new "Delta" back model, Eton front coat, lined with self-colored peau de cygne silk. Ripple flounce tunic skirt. Made of rich moire silk. Colors are tango, Copenhagen and Hague blue and black. A Suit with "snap" and "dash" in every line. All sizes. Choice, $21.00

Serge Suit Special



$15 Blue and Black, Silk-Lined Serge Suits, for

$7.50

Just ½ Price

Illustration Shows 2 of the Exact Styles

They are made of fine quality, double warp, mannish tailored serge in navy and black. Silk lined coats. The buttons used in trimming are self-tailored. Suits that are perfect-fitting, splendidly tailored and finished. They are shape-retaining, and any woman who wants a smart Spring Suit, and prefers blue or black, should not let this opportunity pass. All sizes. Sale starts promptly at 8:30—$7.50.

Balmacaan Coat Special

Regular $15.00 Coat for . . . **$10.00**

In the gray mixed, cravenetted tweeds. Also Sport and Golf Coats, ¾ to ⅞ lengths, made of tweeds, duvetyne, brocade eponge and serge; all colors, all sizes.

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'PAL' SAYS SLAYER OF POLICEMAN PLANNED ROBBERY

Declares He Was Forced to Accompany Him for Saloon Holdup.

SLAYER MAY RECOVER

Man Who Shot Himself After Killing Patrolman Denies He Was Robber.

David Whitney, who killed Patrolman William H. Shaiper after Shaiper had arrested him at 1 a. m. Sunday, and who shot himself soon afterward, said at the city hospital Monday that he was not a highwayman, and that he was not committing any offense when Shaiper arrested him at Fourteenth street and Lucas avenue. He said he fired because the policeman beat and berated him, but this is denied by Patrolman Richard Joyce, witness of the killing.

Dave O'Connor, Whitney's companion, said he and Whitney set out Saturday night to rob a saloon, and that they held up a man and took his money, but gave the money back when they found he had only 20 cents. At the time of the arrest, O'Connor said, Whitney was doing no more than to try to lift him (O'Connor) after he had slipped on the sidewalk and twisted his ankle. O'Connor also made the statement, which the police discredit, that Whitney forced him to go on the robbery expedition by threatening to shoot him if he should refuse. He is a prisoner at the Carr Street Police Station.

Has a Chance to Recover.

Whitney is in a critical condition, from a single bullet wound over the heart. He insists that he inflicted the wound himself, and powder burns tend to bear out his statement. Police officials who visited him at the hospital were pleased to learn that he had a chance for recovery, for they wish to see him tried for murder.

Patrolman Shaiper was one of the Jiu Jitsu experts of the Carr Street Station. The circumstances of the capture, which seemed to have given him an opportunity to use jiu jitsu, have renewed the discussion among policemen as to the practical value of the Japanese method of defense as a police accomplishment.

The jiu jitsu method of dealing with an armed man is to seize, with the left hand, his right wrist and bend it behind his back, in such a position that he not only cannot use the hand, but that the only motion he can make is to open his fingers. This releases his grip on his weapon, which the jiu jitsu expert is supposed to take with his right hand.

Shaiper Jiu Jitsu Expert.

Capt. Schoppe said Shaiper was one of the most skillful and enthusiastic of the men who have taken jiu jitsu training in the district. The Captain said he felt sure Shaiper would have used the method but for an unusual circumstance in Whitney's case.

Whitney, the Captain pointed out, drew his revolver from his coat pocket instead of his hip pocket. In this way, he believed, Shaiper was caught off his guard and did not have time to use the tactics he had learned.

Shaiper and Joyce saw three men on the sidewalk in a position that suggested robbery. Two men had a third between them, apparently dragging him along the sidewalk. The man in the middle was O'Connor, who, as he now explains, had hurt his ankle, and the other two were Whitney and Fred Wagner.

Joyce seized Wagner and O'Connor, and "fanned" them, as it is known in police parlance, running his hands over their clothing to feel if they had weapons. Shaiper seized Whitney, and a moment later Whitney shot him three times, and fled, with Joyse firing after him. Joyce was hindered by his two prisoners from pursuing Whitney, but soon afterward two patrolmen found Whitney lying by a billboard, and obtained his admission that he was the man who shot Shaiper.

Wagner, who lives at 2714 Carr street, said he did not know either of the others, and that he crossed the street to help O'Connor when he saw O'Connor fall. O'Connor told the same story, and the police were about to release Wagner, when they learned that he was sought, three years ago, on a charge of cutting a young woman with whom he had quarreled. So he was held for further inquiry.

Mrs. Shaiper, widow of the policeman, is in the care of a physician at her home, 4002A Florissant avenue.

Whitney said, at the hospital, that he has been "doing everything for a living," but denied that he was a robber. O'Connor has a wife and child living, he says, at 4506 Fifth avenue, Chicago. He has worked as a railroad freight handler and was laid off just before last Christmas. He lived at the Municipal Lodging House and got his meals around saloons. He met Whitney, he said, in a saloon at Fifteenth and Market streets.

He said Whitney proposed to him, Saturday night, that he take part in a robbery. When he refused, he said, Whitney pressed a revolver against him and told him he must. So he went along, to a saloon on the Hodiamont line, west of Jefferson avenue, which he said Whitney proposed to rob. They got there too late, the lights being put out as they approached.

Then, he said, they started east, held up a man, and, finding he had only 40 cents, told him to keep the money and to "beat it." It was a few minutes after this, he said, that he had the accident which attracted the policemen's attention.

A good old Quaker once said to his boy: "Nathan, it is not what thee reads that makes thee smart; nor what thee eats that makes thee fat; nor what thee earns that makes thee rich; but what thee SAVES." The saving habit may be readily acquired by the steady use of a savings account in the Mercantile Trust Co., Eighth and Locust streets. Their Savings Department is open Monday evenings until 8 o'clock.

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Spring Is Here—in Every Corner of This Store

Mrs. F. Violet Sanborn who has been lecturing on American and foreign cookery in the Cooking School, every day during the coming week will officiate in the preparation of foreign dishes to be served—

In the Restaurant

Tuesday—Italian Dishes.
Wednesday—German Dishes.
Thursday—Spanish Dishes.
Friday—Japanese Dishes.
Saturday—Swiss Dishes.

Mrs. Sanborn will be on hand between the hours of 12 and 1:30 to give any information in connection with the preparation of these foreign dishes. (Sixth Floor.)

Cooking School Lecture (Fifth Floor) this week will be given only in the afternoons at 3 o'clock.

Special Sale of

Gloves at $1 Pair

Women's English Walking Gloves, of imported Kassan leather, Prix seams and spear back—all sizes—in tan, brown and gray—regular $1.50 Gloves, $1 pr.

$1.35 Gloves, $1 Pr.

Imported washable Doeskin Gloves, in white and white with black embroidered backs—special at $1 pair

$1.50 Gloves, $1 Pr.

Women's fine, light-weight imported real French Kid Gloves, in tan, mode, champagne shades—regular $1.50 and $2 kinds—at $1 pair

$1.25 Gloves, $1 Pr.

Women's English Walking Gloves, in white, with Prix seams and one large clasp—regular $1.25 Gloves—at $1 pair

(Main Floor.)

Rompers at 45c

For boys and girls—of excellent quality crepe and chambray — Dutch neck and turndown collars piped in contrasting colors — ages 2 to 8 years—special at 45c

Drawers at 25c

Children's Drawers, of cambric, with embroidery ruffle and cluster of tucks, reinforced sides, worked buttonholes. Sizes 1 to 15 years—regularly 39c—special, 25c

(Second Floor.)

New Laces

Laces, Special, 15c Yard

Philippine hand-made Torchon and Cluny Laces, of regular 20c, 25c, 35c and even 50c qualities.

25c Medallions at 10c

Filet Medallions, in triangle shape, for baby pillows and fancy work—10c each.

(Main Floor.)

Petticoats at $2

500 in all, of extra heavy quality messaline, with deep fancy plaited flounce, in solid colors, changeables and black—usually $2.50.

Combinations, $1.50

Two-piece combination garments of nainsook, daintily trimmed with embroidery medallions, lace insertions and edges—usually $2 and $2.50.

(Second Floor.)

New Waists, $2.98

Specially priced are these beautiful new Spring Waists—made of fine quality crepe, chiffon and lace, in dainty Spring styles in all of the desirable new colors. Extraordinary values and all sizes. $2.98

(Bargain Square No. 7—Main Floor.)

Continuing—Handkerchief Sale

Offering slight "seconds" from one of Belfast's largest handkerchief exporters.

50c Handkerchiefs, 25c Each

Women's pure Irish linen, hand-embroidered in one and four corner designs by Irish peasants. Slight "seconds"—50c and 75c qualities—at 25c each

25c Handkerchiefs, 15c Each

Women's pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs, with block and script letters, in fancy wreath designs—all hand-embroidered. Slight "seconds" of 25c and 35c kinds—at 15c each

Men's 25c and 35c Initial Handkerchiefs, 10c

Pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs, full size, with block and script letters—"seconds" of 25c and 35c kinds—at 10c each

London Stripes, 10c Each

Novelty Handkerchiefs, made of pure Irish linen, daintily printed in attractive colors—full size—slight "seconds" of 25c quality, 10c each

Special—

All-Linen Hdkfs., 5c

"Seconds" of pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs, sheer and heavy—some Shire hemstitched.

35c and 50c Hdkfs., 15c

Women's pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs, hand-embroidered, attractive patterns—slight "seconds" of 35c and 50c kinds—at 15c each

(Main Floor.)

Tomorrow—Brings the Opening Sale of

The New Wash Dresses for Everywoman

The new Dresses for Everywoman are desirable wash frocks for house, porch, garden and morning street wear—suitable for every woman, no matter what her station in life. All copies and adaptations of much higher-priced dresses.

Included are dresses of imported crepes in solid colors and colored stripes; also colored voiles, French linens and Anderson's ginghams, in plaid and stripes.

There is a complete range of sizes from 34 to 46-inch bust measurement.

And the prices are exceptionally low, ranging from

$2.98, $3.98, $4.95 to $5.95



Special—

$1.98 and $2.50 Wash Dresses, $1.50

A special group of House and Porch Dresses, made of percales and ginghams, with Dutch necks and elbow sleeves and front side button fastenings. Trimmings of contrasting colors. Sizes 34 to 46-inch bust measurement. Regularly priced $1.98 and $2.50, special, for one day only, at $1.50.

(Second Floor, and Sixth Street Highway, Main Floor.)

Note—We are sole St. Louis agents for the most convenient slip-on—the Simplex Dress—the feature of this dress is the adjustable waistline. Priced at $1.50.

(Second Floor.)

Again Tomorrow—the Linen Sale

—offering additional lots and more special values in useful household linens of all kinds.

Bedspreads at $2.25

Crochet Bedspreads, in three new designs, scalloped all around and with cut corners. Measure 66x90 inches, for three-quarter size beds.

Bedspreads at $3.95

Extra quality Marseilles Bedspreads, in five new designs, scalloped all around and with cut corners. Size 90x100 inches.

Summer-Weight Bed Sets

Consisting of one 90x99-inch Bedspread, of fine, light-weight crinkled quilting, scalloped all around and with cut corners, and 27x90-inch Bolster to match. Come in white with pink, blue, yellow, lavender or green. Price, at the set, $4

Summer-Weight Bed Sets

Consisting of Bedspread of 86x100-inch size, scalloped all around and with cut corners, and one Scalloped Bolster, size 30x86 inches. All made of fine light-weight satin-stripe pique. Price, at the set, $5

$1 Lunch Napkins, 75c Doz.

Nicely hemstitched, and made of good quality damask, in new designs. Measure 14x14 inches.

Crochet Bedspreads, $2.25

Come in four new patterns, scalloped all around and with cut corners. Size 78x88 inches.

Bedspreads at $3.95

Made of good quality Marseilles, in all the new patterns, scalloped all around and with cut corners. Measure 82x96 inches.

Cotton Sheets and Pillowcases

We are sole St. Louis distributers for Gotham Sheets and Pillowcases—recognized as one of the finest and best wearing.

Hemmed Pillowcases, 42x38½ inches, each,	20c
Hemmed Pillowcases, 45x38½ inches, each,	22c
Hemstitched Cases, 42x38½ inches, each,	25c
Hemstitched Cases, 45x38½ inches, each,	30c
Scalloped Cases, 42x38½ inches, each,	30c
Hemmed Bed Sheets, 72x99 inches, each,	95c
Hemmed Bed Sheets, 81x99 inches, each,	$1
Hemmed Bed Sheets, 90x99 inches, each,	$1.25
Hemstitched Sheets, 72x99 inches, each,	$1.10
Hemstitched Sheets, 81x99 inches, each	$1.25
Scalloped Sheets, 81x99 inches, each,	$1.15

Linen Towels, 6c

Extra quality, bleached all-linen Huck Towels, with new satin borders and nicely hemstitched.

Pattern Tablecloths

Come in all the popular sizes, and made of fine bleached all-linen damask, and in new circular designs, priced at $2, $2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $3, $3.25, $3.50, $4, $4.50 and $5 each. (Second Floor.)

Red Letter Day in the Basement—A Bargain Event

Remarkable Red Letter Values in

Laces and Embroideries

$1 Embroidery Flouncings (45-In.) at 50c Yard

Here's the solution for the graduating Dress:

We have only 100 pieces of 45-inch Flouncings of the kind adaptable for this very purpose. Come in blind designs, as well as showy, elaborate effects suitable for the tall as well as the smallest maidens. The materials are finest quality Swiss, and the price would be double, and in some instances, more than double Tuesday's price, 50c yard

15c Laces at 5c Yard

Staple Laces, imitation Cluny, Filet, Point de Paris and Normandy Val. Laces, Edges and Insertions, in white, cream and ecru—up to 4 inches in width—usually 10c to 15c yard—5c yard

Sample Strips, 5c a Yard

Thousands and thousands of yards of Embroidery sample strips, Edges and Insertions, ranging up to 5 yards in length (sold in strips only)—at 5c yard

25c Emb. Bands, Galloons, Edges, Insertions, 10c Yd.
29c Emb. Flouncings and Corset Coverings, 19c Yd.
10c Emb. Edges and Insertions, matched sets, 5c Yd.
50c Swiss Emb. Allovers, 22 inches wide, 25c Yd.
39c Emb. Flouncings and Corset Coverings, 25c Yd.
10c and 15c Embroidery Bands and Galloons, 5c Yd.

(Basement.)

50c Kimono Aprons, 35c

Women's Dress Aprons, made of light and dark percales and ginghams, in kimono style, with pockets, piped in solid colors—usual 50c quality, 35c

(Basement.)

25c Waist Aprons, 19c

Serviceable Waist Aprons, made of Amoskeag ginghams and percales—large size and with pockets. Some have bibs and all are trimmed with rickrack braid.

(Basement.)

Curtain Specials for Tuesday

$1.50 Imported Scotch Madras Curtains, 98c Pair

100 pairs of these dainty imported Scotch Madras Curtains will be placed on sale in the Basement on Red Letter Day. Splendid for bedroom and dining room windows, and launder beautifully—special for Red Letter Day at 98c pair

Swiss Curtains, 59c

Pretty Swiss Curtains, made with blue, pink or yellow insertions, and wide hemmed edge. Would be good values at 79c—while quantity lasts, 59c pair

Curtain Madras, 25c

35 pieces of imported Scotch Curtain Madras, in cream grounds, with conventional and floral designs. Full 36-inches wide, and launders perfectly, 25c yard

Extra Special—

$1.50 and $1.75 Scrim Curtains at $1.15 a Pair

Several hundred pairs of Scrim Curtains, in Filet effects—some trimmed with dainty laces—colors are white, ivory and Arabian.

(Basement.)

Handkerchiefs

Women's 10c and 15c Handkerchiefs—Embroidered in one-corner and all-around patterns—others with fancy lace edge, at 5c each.

Men's Handkerchiefs of Pure Irish Linen—Full size, plain and others with block and script letters, firsts and seconds—usual 15c and 20c kind at 9½c each

(Basement.)

10c Dress Foulards

Fancy printed light and dark colored mercerized Dress Foulards—30 in. wide—special, yard, 5c

(Basement.)

10c Longcloth

Soft chamois-finished, yard wide Longcloth, in lengths from 3 to 11 yards—special at, yard, 7½c

(Basement.)

10c Zephyr Ginghams

Fast-colored striped and plaid zephyr Dress Ginghams, special at, yard, 6½c

(Basement.)

89c Gloves, 59c Pr.

Women's imported Kid Gloves, of fine light-weight skins—two clasp and oversewn seams—sizes 5¾ to 7½—in tan, brown, gray, navy and black.

50c Gloves, 35c Pr.

16-button-length imported Chamoisette Gloves, in white and natural shades and in all sizes.

$1 Gloves, 65c Pr.

Women's 16-button Silk Gloves, in black, white and colors—made of good quality tricot silk, with double finger tips.

(Basement.)

Silk Hair Nets, 2c

Extra large size, fine mesh, strongly made, come in black, brown, auburn and blonde—regularly 5c 2c, or dozen 20c

(Basement.)

Red Letter Day Values in

Men's Furnishings

Men's Four-in-Hand Ties at 3 for 50c

Men's tubular Four-in-Hand Ties, made of silk poplin, in all the new Spring shades. There are 120 dozen Ties in this lot, giving a wide range of choice. Priced specially for Tuesday, three for 50c, or each 17c

Men's Collars

4-Ply, 15c Kind,

3 for 25c

The Men's Store in the Basement has a complete line of 4-ply Collars in plain linen and madras stripes, in all the popular and up-to-date styles, and in quarter sizes—at 3 for 25c

Box of 12 Collars for $1

(Basement.)

Women's New Spring Footwear, Shoes of Usual $3 Quality, at $1.95

As a special Red Letter Day Offer tomorrow you may choose from the large assortment of this season's newest styles of women's Low Shoes in patent colt, gunmetal and black satin, including Colonial Pumps, Button Oxfords, Two-Strap Pumps and Blucher Oxfords—Shoes such as you might expect to pay $3 for, special at $1.95 pair

(Basement.)

Basement Garment Section—One Day Only



Women's and Misses' Raincoats

Usually $3.98 to $6.50

at $2.98

This is a special offering for tomorrow only of good quality Raincoats, made of serges, with double texture plaid backs and storm collar. Some have belt in back and raglan set-in sleeves and the colors are tan, black, navy and gray.

Sizes 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement.

These are Raincoats such as regularly sell for $3.98 to $6.50, reduced for one day's selling to $2.98

Girls' $1.50 Rain Capes, gray only, 79c

(Basement.)

STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO. GRAND-LEADER

Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

California U. 54 Years Old.

BERKELEY, Cal., March 23.—The fifty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the University of California was celebrated today. William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, was the orator of the day. He spoke on "The Larger Outlook."

Girl's Body Found in River.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—The body of Anna O'Donnell, 22 years old, was found floating in the Delaware River yesterday near the spot where she was alleged to have jumped in on the night of Jan. 31. The body was identified by the clothing.

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WEST VIRGINIA IS NOW EASIEST DIVORCE "MILL"

Requires But Six Months' Residence and Service Is by Publication.

WHEELING, W. Va., March 23.—With West Virginia requiring but six months' residence before suit for divorce can be filed, the exodus to this State has begun. It is reported a syndicate of lawyers has been formed to promote the divorce business. Records in nearly every county for the last few months have shown a large increase in the number of decrees granted. The Marshall County Court this week broke its record with 14 decrees.

The State Supreme Court recently decided a wife deserted by a husband without cause in another state may acquire a separate domicile in this State and obtain a divorce, though the husband is a nonresident and is only constructively served by publication.

SNEAK THIEF GETS $140 FROM GUEST AT THE MARQUETTE

After Looting Man's Trouser's Pockets He Is Chased to Another Room.

A thief entered rooms of two guests at the Marquette Hotel Monday morning. He got $140 from the trousers pocket of one guest. After being chased from the room of the second guest he is believed to have escaped to a room which he probably had engaged.

Burrell W. Stewart, a salesman, was awakened at 1:30 a. m. and found a young man crouched at the foot of his bed. When asked what he was doing there the man replied he was a porter and was playing a joke on another attache of the hotel. When Stewart started to get out of bed the intruder fled down the corridor.

While in search of the thief the house detective found the door of J. J. Brown's room wide open. Brown was awakened and he found that $140 had been taken from his trouser's pocket.

MISSOURI POSSE HUNTS FOR SLAYER OF GIRL, 16

Man, 22 Years Old, Who Shot Sweetheart in Moberly, Defies His Pursuers.

MOBERLY, Mo., March 23.—A posse of 100 men is searching the country surrounding Moberly for Victor Roberts, 22 years old, the youth who Saturday night shot and killed Miss Jessie Davall, his 16-year-old sweetheart. A Coroner's jury gave a verdict declaring Roberts to be the girl's murderer.

Miss Duvall was killed on one of the principal streets of Moberly. Her slayer stood at her side and sent a bullet through her head. As she fell on the crowded sidewalk the man fled toward the railroad yards.

A relative of Roberts yesterday rode into town with word that the fugitive had appeared at his home in the morning and demanded food. Roberts carried a pistol and sent word to the officers searching for him that he would not be taken alive.

Roberts and the slain girl had been sweethearts for several weeks, but quarreled. Miss Duvall had rejected his proopsal of marriage, it is said, and returned to him several little presents he had given her.

Richard Duvall, the girl's father, who is blind, was standing on the opposite side of the street and heard the shot which ended his daughter's life.

"WHERE are you going, my pretty maid?" "To Loftis Bros., 308 N. 6th st., to get a bracelet watch on credit, sir," she said.

CONTRACTOR GOES DOWN WITH RIVER STEAMER

Crew Swims Ashore Near Golconda, Ill., but He Is Trapped in His Cabin.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 23.—Capt. Arch Hollerbach, 69 years old, Government contractor of Evansville, was drowned early today when the steamboat Old Reliable sank in the Ohio River, a few miles below Golconda, Ill. Nine of the crew swam to shore. A barge of rock sprang a leak and before the crew could cut the tow ropes it sank, dragging the steamer down in 30 feet of water.

When members of the crew jumped, Capt. Hollerbach ran into his cabin for a pair of shoes and the boat went down before he regained the deck.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY. On Liver, Stomach And Bowels.

GEO. C. BLYTHE IS DEAD

George C. Blythe, 66 years old, president of the George C. Blythe Real Estate Co., 609 North Taylor avenue, died at 6:30 a. m. Monday at his home, 4505 Washington boulevard, of liver trouble, from which he had suffered for many years.

Blythe came here several years ago from Moberly, Mo., and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lucy Witcher Blythe, and two sons, one living in Moberly and one in Rochester, N. Y. The funeral will be in Moberly, Mo.

"Lead, Kindly Light," Last Words of McKinley.

Among the hymns to be found in the book of "Songs That Never Grow Old," now being sold by arrangement with the Post-Dispatch for 49 and 79 cents, according to the style of binding desired, is "Lead, Kindly Light," the title of which were the last words uttered by President McKinley on his deathbed. To learn of the plan by which you can obtain this valuable volume of "Songs That Never Grow Old," see the announcement in another column of the Post-Dispatch. This is positively the last week of this distribution.

LOUVRE PAPYRUS MISSING

PARIS, March 23.—An Egyptian papyrus of great value is missing from the Louvre, according to a Paris newspaper. It was presented to the museum in 1887 by Adolphe Cattani, a noted Egyptiologist.

Wishing to consult the papyrus in connection with work he is doing, he asked to see it recently. No one knew anything about it, nor could it be found. The papyrus is a magnificently illuminated example of "The Book of the Dead." It measures seven feet.

MOYER TO STAND TRIAL

HOUGHTON, Mich., March 23.—A motion to quash the indictment for conspiracy against President Charles H. Moyer and other officers and members of the Western Federation of Miners, was denied today by Circuit Judge O'Brien.

The cases probably will go to trial immediately. They are the outgrowth of the strike in the copper district.

MOTHER'S VISION POINTS OUT RICH MINE TO SONS

Big Wisconsin Ore Strike Credited to Clairvoyant Prophecy of California Woman.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 23.—Back of the announcement that the Ashland mine, owned by two Californians, brothers, E. A. and J. O. Hayes, the former a Congressman, is to be the heaviest iron ore shipper in the Gogebic Range this year, is a strange story of the winning of a fortune from the earth through the clairvoyant prophecy of their mother. It was through her influence, due to a vision, that the brothers continued work on the property, after it had been abandoned as worthless.

The Ashland mine first was leased to the Penokee Development Co. In 1899 it was abandoned as worked out and the property was thrown back on the Hayes brothers' hands as a discredited "hole in the ground."

The mother, however, in her home in California, described to them the property, which she had seen, and told the sons where to work to find a new ore body. After two years' work the mine will ship a heavy tonnage, more than 200,000 tons already having been sold.

NELL: Let's get married. I'll get the diamond engagement ring at Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. Sixth st., on credit.

Intruder Arrested in Apartment House

A policeman passing the apartment at 1149 Union boulevard at 3 a. m. Monday, observing the vestibule light extinguished, stepped inside to investigate and found a man sitting inside. He said he was John Dawit, 27 years old and homeless. Morphine was found in his pockets. He was taken to the city hospital.

John C. Walter, Tailor. Stylish clothes, 2d floor, 700 Pine st.

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50c Parker's Tar Shampoo	38c
25c Box Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap	19c
Pound Kirk's Green Soap	25c
25c Zemo Soap, 18c; box	50c
25c Resinol Soap, 18c; box	50c
Cashmere Bouquet Soap, 24c; box	69c
15c Munyon's Witch Hazel, 2 for	15c

TUESDAY'S SPECIAL

50c Canthrox Shampoo 29c

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You will find a wonderful assortment of everything that is new and beautiful in the suit line—exact reproductions of imported models that regularly would cost you double and treble the prices we are asking.

FOR weeks our buyers have been searching the markets for the most beautiful styles—and, by being right on the ground—buying in enormous quantities for all our various stores—and securing concessions not possible to the average store—we are now able to offer values of the most unusual character.

HERE you will find an enormous array of just the suits you want—the very latest effects in Callot and Shepherd check models, handsome taffetas, checks and serge combinations, combining cloth with taffeta and moire silks—an assortment so vast as to meet the varied taste and fancy of every visitor to this department.

Silk suits are shown here in splendid assortments at $19, $22.50, $24, $29.75 and up—in beautiful faille, silk poplin, rich moire and brocaded silk—every new style and coloring represented.

New Silk Dresses

Special offering of 200 beautiful new silk dresses—at.... $10.00

THIS offering comprises handsome crepe meteors, crepe de chine, soft finished taffetas, pussy willow and flowered silk poplins—all worth one-third to one-half more than this special price we name.

Silk Moire Coats

Specially priced at $12.75, $14.75 and $16.50

A WIDE assortment—richly silk lined effects—in hip lengths, one-half lengths and three-quarter lengths—the newest single, double tier and flounce effects are all included at these unusually low prices.



"Why Worry?" Eat and be Merry

and have a social chat and smoke in the buffet-club car of the Illinois Central's "Diamond Special," night train, until such time as it suits to retire in the all-steel sleeping car

EN ROUTE TO CHICAGO

In the morning, if so disposed, to be ready for business on arrival, or from early habit, have a light breakfast, for on that club car are served edibles such as fruits and cereals, eggs, cold meats, sandwiches, breads, preserves, tea, coffee, milk, mineral waters, soft drinks and cigars. The club car, which is electric-lighted, is but one of many features of convenience and comfort for the Chicago patrons of the

ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Chicago trains leave St. Louis 10.35 a.m. (Daylight Special—all-steel train) and 9.10 p.m. (Diamond Special—steel sleeping cars, chair car and coach). Stops made in Chicago at South Side through stations. Reservations at

City Ticket Office, 707 Olive Street. F. D. Miller, D. P. A. Phones: Olive 3032; Central 84

LAST YEAR'S REFRIGERATORS

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES BUY ONE NOW FOR THE FUTURE. YOU'LL BE GLAD LATER ON

EXTRA SPECIAL $15.75

We cannot possibly understand why more people have not responded to our Refrigerator sales during the past few weeks. The prices are actually reduced from 33⅓% to 50%. The Refrigerators are guaranteed in every respect, and our only reason for selling them at reduced prices is because our new line (1914) models have arrived and we need warehouse space.

YOU ARE SURE TO NEED A NEW REFRIGERATOR THIS SUMMER.

All you have to do is to come downtown, place your order, and if you so desire, we will hold any one you decide upon for future delivery.



EXTRA $15.75 SPECIAL

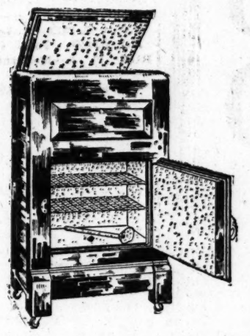
The Refrigerator as pictured sold all last season for $22.50 and over (this is not exaggerated a particle). While our remaining stock lasts we will sell them at the above price—$15.75.

DESCRIPTION

The picture tells the true story. The white shown is pure white, sanitary baked enamel. The shelves are absolutely sanitary and guaranteed not to rust, being made of woven steel wire and plated with white metal.

The locks are the clamp style—in addition to this, each door has a lock and key. A big, true R. R. value. Special..... $15.75

This $12.00 Refrigerator, $7.85

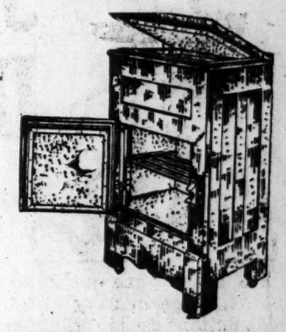


Some people would not have any other kind of a Refrigerator than one like the picture above shows.

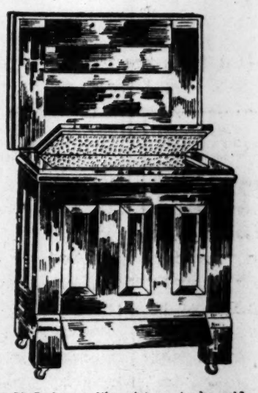
The kind that you fill from the top. They are slow sellers, however, and we have reduced the price to almost half on this style of Refrigerator.

The above special is lined with pure white enamel, has nonrustable woven wire shelves, airtight door and drain; a high-grade practical Refrigerator. Special..... $7.85

This $9.50 Refrigerator, $5.75



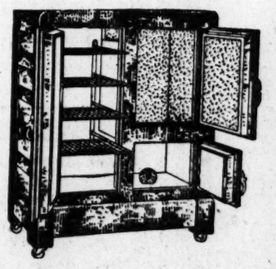
TUESDAY SPECIAL DOUBLE-LID ICE CHEST $4.95



This dandy little Refrigerator has delighted many housekeepers. We say small because it is the smallest we handle, yet it holds 45 lbs. of ice.

Has white enamel lower compartment, airtight doors, bottom one with lock; in fact, a most complete Refrigerator in every respect. Just the thing for small families or light housekeepers. Extra special, while 50 last..... $5.75

TWENTY-FIVE $40.00 EXTRA FINE PORCELAIN-LINED REFRIGERATORS, LIKE PICTURE, GOING AT $28.50



The Refrigerator as pictured above is the top notch in Refrigerators. The linings are pure white porcelain, the same as your bathtub. Can be scrubbed and kept absolutely sweet and sanitary in every respect.

HAS ICE CAPACITY OF 115 LBS.

A great big guaranteed Refrigerator, worth $40, at a price within the reach of all. Don't put off another minute. Be wise this time and buy a Refrigerator before you actually need one. Extra special..... $28.50

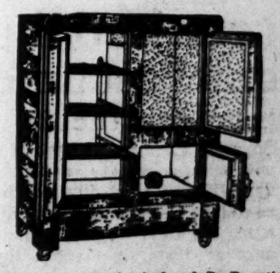
$5 Iceboxes, like picture, to be sold tomorrow at below cost, $4.95. Every St. Louis store handling refrigerators sold this size Icebox for $10. We did ourselves. Our new line is in, so away with the old. Come early—buy one at..... $4.95

We will hold it until Summer if you want.

PLEASE READ THIS

Our idea of advertising in the newspapers is to tell everyone of some bargain. We have never disappointed anyone as yet. If you come in response to this ad you'll be delighted to find that Rhodes-Burford do as they say in their advertisements. NO FAKE SALES—just plain, every-day common sense business.

ABOUT FORTY $34.00 WHITE ENAMEL REFRIGERATORS, LIKE PICTURE, WILL BE CLOSED OUT AT $19.50



Hundreds—yes, hundreds—of R. R. satisfied customers are using a Refrigerator like the one pictured above, and they paid $34.00 for them. (We reserve the right to reduce the price on a special sale such as this.) The Refrigerator is a big white enamel lined one, with three nonrustable woven wire adjustable shelves, lock and key, airtight doors, airtight drainpipe and cup; in fact, the biggest Refrigerator in St. Louis for anywhere near $19.50. Remember, a bargain, and we mean it. Extra special..... $19.50

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414-416 N. BROADWAY BETWEEN LOCUST AND ST. CHARLES ST'S.

Aviator Killed in Switzerland.

BASEL, Switzerland, March 23.—An aviator named Borrer was killed yesterday. His machine had reached a great height when it suddenly dipped forward. The spectators thought the aviator was about to loop the loop. A few moment later the machine plunged straight downward and was dashed to pieces against the earth. Borrer was only 19 years old.

START a savings account. Invest in a diamond on credit. Do it now. Buy it of Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st.

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GEHNER, MINNA — Mississippi Valley Trust, 387, $109,521; German-American, 1000, $195,000. Total, $304,521.

POPE, CAROLINE — Boatmen's, 150, $28,500; Mechanics-American, 200, $55,000; Merchants-Laclede, 400, $114,000; State National, 285, $56,145; Third National, 200, $50,000. Total, $303,645.

LIONBERGER, MARY — Mississippi Valley Trust, 100, $28,300; St. Louis Union Trust, 550, $220,000; National Bank of Commerce, 60, $7800. Total, 256,100.

McREE, ROSALIE G.—Mercantile Trust, 200, $66,000; Mississippi Valley, 150, $42,450; St. Louis Union Trust, 120, $48,000; Boatmen's, 500, $95,000. Total, $251,450.

JANUARY, GRACE V.—St. Louis Union Trust, 210 $84,000; Boatmen's, 137, $26,030; National Bank of Commerce, 714, $92,820; State National, 26, $5122; Mississippi Valley Trust, 100, $28,300. Total, $236,272.

LIGGETT, E. J., executrix—Mississippi Valley Trust, 63, $17,829; St. Louis Union Trust, 525, $210,000. Total, $227,829.

WOESTMAN, MALINDA — German-American, 306, $59,670; Franklin, 480, $144,000. Total, $203,670.

MAFFITT, EMILY C.—Mercantile Trust, 200, $66,000; St. Louis Union Trust, 158, $63,200; Mechanics-American, 40, $11,000; State National, 46, $9062. Total, $149,262.

LAUMEIER, CHRISTINE—Mississippi Valley, 100, $28,300; German-American, 600, $117,000. Total, $145,300.

MORRISON-FULLER BERNICE —Boatmen's, 676, $128,440.

BECKTOLD, JOSEPHINE—Mercantile Trust, 10, $3300; St. Louis Union Trust, 200, $80,000; Mechanics-American, 143, $39,325; Merchants-Laclede, 4, $1140. Total, $123,765.

Boy Shot by Holdup Man.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Merle Tarbox, a high school boy, was shot and probably fatally injured last night by one of three holdup men whom he had resisted. One of the men was arrested and identified by Tarbox.

See DEEMS, the Letter Man, For Facsimile Letters, etc. 720 Olive st.

CREATION

Photo-drama at the Victoria Theater, Delmar, near Grand, 3 and 8 p. m. Part 4 this week. Seats free. The Gospel Age in pictures.

10,129 INDIVIDUAL HOLDERS OF STOCK IN ST. LOUIS BANKS

Tax Report Shows Total Market Value of Shares $94,862,500, Twice the Par Value.

The stock of St. Louis' 45 banks and trust companies is owned by 10,129 persons, and the estimated total market value is $94,862,500, more than twice the total par value, which is $42,250,000, according to a complete tax list prepared in the City Assessor's office. St. Louis women are among the largest individual owners of stock, the total holdings of 13 of them aggregating in market value from $80,000 to nearly $305,000.

A decrease of $8,068,169 in the market value of the stocks is shown by comparison with the statistics compiled one year ago.

The list shows that the total bank stock is 273,000 shares, held by 7162 stockholders, an average ownership of 38.11 shares for each investor. The total trust company stock is 149,500 shares, held by 2967 investors, the individual average being 50.38 shares. The average holding of shares in both bank and trust companies is 41.71.

Holdings of Large Stockholders.

Following is a list of the largest stockholders:

FRANCIS, D. R.—Mercantile Trust, 100, $33,000; Mississippi Valley Trust, 837, $236,871; St. Louis Union Trust, 320, $128,000; Merchants-Laclede, 1225, $357,390. Total, $755,261.

MALLINCKRODT, EDWARD—Commonwealth Trust, 400, $32,000; Mercantile Trust, 500, $165,000; St. Louis Union Trust, 1000, $400,000; Mechanics-American, 300, $82,500; Bank of Commerce, 404, $52,520. Total, $732,020.

SCULLIN, JOHN—Mercantile National, 10, $1420; Mercantile Trust, 2076, $685,080. Total, 686,500.

O'FALLON, J. J. — Commonwealth Trust, 200, $16,000; Boatmen's, 126, $23,940; Mechanics-American, 300, $82,500; Merchants-Laclede, 1000, $285,000; St. Louis Union Trust, 300, $120,000; Third National, 200, $50,000. Total, 577,440.

BIXBY, W. K.—Mercantile Trust, 200, $66,000; Bank of Commerce, 406, $52,000; St. Louis Union Trust, 1000, $400,000. Total, $518,000.

ORTHWEIN, W. D.—National Bank of Commerce, 80, $10,400; Mississippi Valley Trust, 1235, $349,505; St. Louis Union Trust, 250, $100,000. Total, $459,905.

BUTLER, J. G.—Mercantile Trust, 1350, $445,500; Mercantile National, 10, $1420. Total, $446,920.

CATLIN, DANIEL—Mechanics-American, 100, $27,500; St. Louis Union Trust, 1000, $400,000; State National, 50, $9850. Total, $437,350.

HAARSTICK, H. C.—St. Louis Union Trust, 1004, $401,600; State National, 190, $35,460. Total, $437,060.

WEST, THOMAS H.—Bank of Commerce, 70, $9100; St. Louis Union Trust, 1050, $420,000. Total, 429,100.

RUF, F. A.—Mechanics-American, 10, $1420; Third National Bank, 100, $25,000; Mercantile Trust, 1146, $378,180. Total, $404,600.

JONES, R. McKITTRICK.—St. Louis Union Trust, 1000, $400,000.

WHITELAW, G. P.—Merchants-Laclede, 200, $57,000; Bank of Commerce, 625, $81,250; State National, 100, $19,700; St. Louis Union Trust, 600, $240,000. Total, $397,950.

JONES, BRECKINRIDGE.—Mississippi Valley Trust, 1400, $396,200.

BROOKINGS, H. G.—St. Louis Union Trust, 975, $390,000.

BROWN, PAUL—Mechanics-American, 310, $85,250; National Bank of Commerce, 35, $4550; Mercantile Trust, 826, $275,880. Total, $365,680.

DOZIER, L. D.—Mercantile Trust, 615, $202,950; Mississippi Valley Trust, 200, $56,000; Merchants-Laclede, 283, $83,505; Mechanics-American, 68, $18,700. Total, $361,755.

BRINCKWIRTH, LOUIS — Mechanics-American, 250, $68,250; National Bank of Commerce, 450, $58,500; State National, 50, $9850; Commonwealth Trust, 50, $4000; Mercantile Trust, 200, $66,000; Mississippi Valley Trust, 150, $60,000. Total, $351,500.

CAMPBELL, JAMES—Mercantile Trust, 1000, $330,000; Mercantile National, 10, $1420; Bank of Commerce, 10, $1300. Total, $332,720.

WALSH, JULIUS—Mississippi Valley Trust, 1141, $322,903.

SCUDDER, J. A.—St. Louis Union Trust, 500, $200,000; State National, 500, $98,500. Total, $298,500.

ALLEN, J. H.—Mechanics-American, 25, $6875; Bank of Commerce, 36, $4680; St. Louis Union Trust, 700, $280,000. Total, $291,555.

DAVIS, J. D.—Merchants-Laclede, 12, $3,420; Mississippi Valley Trust, 414, $117,162; St. Louis Union Trust, 400, $160,000; Bank of Commerce, 7, $910. Total, $281,492.

BROOKINGS, R. S.—St. Louis Union Trust, 700, $280,000.

BOLAND, C. M.—St. Louis Union Trust, 700, $280,000.

HOFFMAN, S. E.—Merchants-Laclede, 400, $114,000; Mississippi Valley Trust, 547, $154,801. Total, $268,801.

CLARK, CHARLES—Mercantile Trust, 13, $4290; Mississippi Valley Trust, 835, $233,475; Bank of Commerce, 236, $29,380. Total, $267,145.

EDWARDS, A. G.—Merchants-Laclede, 7, $1995; German Savings, 314, $147,580; Third National, 18, $4500; Bank of Commerce, 232, $30,160; Commonwealth Trust, 861, $76,880. Total, $261,115.

LEE, W. H.—Merchants-Laclede, 900, $256,500.

HOUSER, D. M.—St. Louis Union Trust, 100, $40,000; Bank of Commerce, 500, $65,000; State National, 100, $9000; Commonwealth Trust, 100, $8000; Mississippi Valley Trust, 300, $84,900; Mercantile Trust, $33,000. Total, $250,600.

Following is a list of stockholders whose total holdings in the different banks and trust companies range from $140,000 up to less than $250,000:

F. G. Eaton, J. A. Holmes, S. C. Davis, D. F. Davis, $230,684; J. T. Davis, $229,211; H. E. Bridge, $225, 378; J. D. Bascom, $225,000; H. C. Pierce, $209,875; John Fowler, $205,550; C. F. Gauss, $205,200; E. C. Simmons, $200,200; James Green, $198,400; M. J. Davis, $195,431; L. M. Rumsey, $188,950; George L. Allen, $165,780; J. F. Ballard, $163,245; H. D. Bridge, $160,363; Guido Pantaleoni, $141,-

SIX WOMEN ARE ROBBED IN ONE NIGHT ON STREETS

Boy Helps One Highwayman; Two Youths Participate in Another Robbery.

Six women were robbed by highwaymen Sunday night. Miss Emma Mitchel of 3206 North Eighteenth street, was halted by two youths at Nineteenth and Dodier streets. They snatched her mesh bag containing 20 cents and fled through an alley.

A man and a boy stopped Mrs. Thomas F. Schwegel of 2241 Sullivan avenue, on Buchanan street, between Blair avenue and Nineteenth street, and robbed her of her handbag and $2.50. The boy stood by while Mrs. Schwegel struggled with the robber and then joined in flight.

Mrs. Ida Gunn of 717 Dover place and Mrs. Charles Barlorn of 5809 Michigan avenue, were crossing Coleman street at Montgomery street when two men grabbed Mrs. Gunn's handbag. In the struggle between the women and robbers which followed, the handle was torn from the bag. Mrs. Gunn held onto her property and the robbers, fearing the screams of the women would attract attention, fled.

Mrs. Mamie Frey of 2745 Madison street and Miss Lena Mauchenheimer of 2709A Tennessee avenue were accosted by a negro on Glasgow avenue, between Sheridan avenue and Thomas street. He snatched Miss Frey's mesh bag containing $1.75 and jerking away from the women, who tried to hold him, escaped through an alley.

Sir Gilbert Parker's New Novel in April Munsey's.

"You Never Know Your Luck," by Sir Gilbert Parker, is one of a series of full book novels, complete, contained in Munsey's Magazine and will be found in the April number. This is Sir Gilbert Parker's latest novel and said to be one of the best that he has ever written. It is also said to be the first of a long book of his that has ever been published complete in a single issue of a periodical.

In addition to the Sir Gilbert Parker novel, which would normally sell for $1.50 in bookstores in cloth covers, the April issue is replete with other telling features.

Cleveland Records 3-Hour Quake.

CLEVELAND, March 23.—The seismograph in the observatory at St. Ignatius College here recorded an earthquake this morning, starting at 3:15 o'clock and ending at 6:24. Rev. Father Odenbach believes the disturbance was as far away as the Indian Ocean.



CONSID'ABLE talk's goin' on about thar not bein' enough money in cirkalation. The real trouble is, when it gets to some folks, it stops cirkalatin'.

Velvet Joe.

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JOHN REED IN MEXICO

Word Pictures of War by an American Kipling

Hot from the front has come John Reed's first "story" of Mexico. By holding our presses we just had time to catch the April number now on the news-stands. It's literature. What Stephen Crane and Richard Harding Davis did for the Spanish-American War in 1898, John Reed, 26 years old, has done for Mexico. You see that beautiful, blood-drenched country with freshly dug graves crowding the public roads. You see glorious, drunken nights of revelry where mirth is turned to tragedy by jealousy fired with too generous gulps of *sotol*—for even in war sparkling eyes and red lips sway the passions of men. You see General Urbina, surrounded by his gaily decked fighters, traveling with his mother and his mistress. And for the first time you will understand this monstrous, paradoxical struggle waging at our very doorstep. Yes, Reed's story is literature.

The METROPOLITAN sent John Reed to Mexico for the truth. He is 26 years old and doesn't know fear. We knew we would get the truth from him, but frankly confess we did not expect the wonderful word pictures of a country torn and bleeding with civil war that we publish in our April number. We got the truth about Mexico, but greater than that we discovered an American Kipling.

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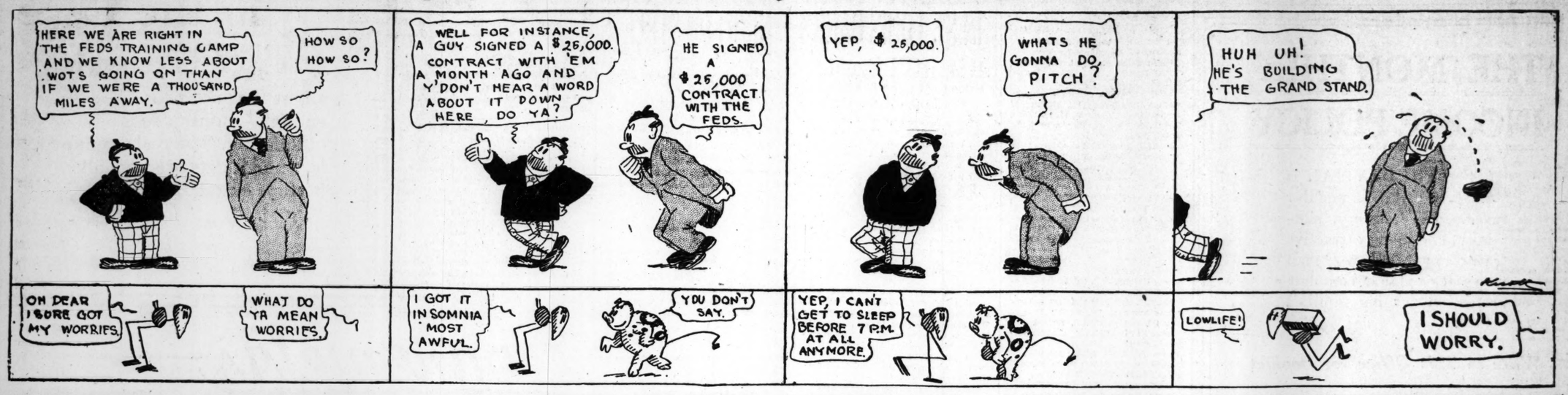
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Just as the St. Louis Teams Start North, Our Pennant Hopes Go South

MR. SHORT SPORT: Ball players are not the only ones paid high for concrete work

By Jean Knott



LEOS WOULD RISK SOCCER TITLE FOR $500 SIDE WAGER

Local Champions Must See Money Before Agreeing to Meet Columbus Club.

HYDE PARKS ARE BEATEN

Klosterman's Kickers Close Season by Taking Chicago Eleven Into Camp, 3—0.

With a 3–0 victory over the Hyde Parks of Chicago added to their long string of accomplishments, the St. Leos intend to retire for the summer, satisfied in their own minds that they are city soccer champions, unless they are coaxed into action again by the Columbus Club players waving a $500 bill.

Following the game with the Chicago team at Athletic Park Sunday, Manager Klosterman of the St. Leos discussed the challenge of the Columbus Club team of a rival league with his players. He said he would permit the players to pass on the defi.

They instructed Klosterman to announce that they would meet the Columbus Club under the following conditions: Any park, any date, any referee, on a winner-take-all-gate-receipts basis and provided the Columbus Club would wager a $250 or $500 side bet on their chances. The Leos agreed to subscribe their half of the side bet.

No Glory in Winning.

"The players feel that they must be assured of the money before they will agree to play the Columbus Club," said Manager Klosterman to the Post-Dispatch Monday. "Conflicting with major league baseball, they realize that the gate will not be large. For that reason they insist on a side bet.

"They contend that there is no glory in beating the Columbus Club, as they have accomplished that so many times in the last three years. It's the money they are after. If the Columbus Club agrees to the side bet and winner-take-all feature, we'll play them at any time and at any place and with any referee officiating."

The Hyde Parks of Chicago provided a better contest than the 3–0 score would indicate. And they did this minus three men who had been depended on to aid the Chicagoans most—Fullback Scott, Halfback Whiteside, and Wright, the heavyweight forward, heralded as a demon.

In the early stages of the contest the Hyde Parks performed as though they would pull up winners. Good defensive work by Kettles at full, and Sheahan in goal, prevented any scoring.

Brannigan Kicks a Goal.

Early in the half, McCarthy kicked from the corner to Monahan, who passed to Brannigan. "Bull's" toe netted the first goal. The half ended 1—0 in the Leos' favor. A McCormack-Monahan combination was responsible for the second tally. Brannigan scored a goal later but it was not allowed by Referee McSweeney. He ruled that Manahan had struck the ball with his hand during its flight in the air. After Brannigan had shot another drive at Goalkeeper Buchall, who warded it off, McCormack charged and succeeded in placing the pigskin in the net for the third and final count.

In a preliminary game, the Knights of Father Matthew eleven defeated the St. Marks team, 1—0. A fair crowd, estimated at 1200, saw the matinee.

Innisfails Beat Champs.

The Innisfails had the satisfaction of beating the champion Columbus Club team by a 3—0 score in Sunday's feature game on the C. B. C. campus. Diedrickson scored the first goal after a nice corner kick from Hagerty. Kehrman's goal raised the Innisfail total to two just before the half closed.

The league champions seemed unable to hit their stride, and shortly after the second period opened, Diedrickson added another marker to the score. Tate Brady, the Knights' star fullback, collided with Pat Weir near the end of the game and sprained an ankle. He had to be carried off the field.

In the opening contest, the Athletics won from the Teresas, 1—0. This was the fourth successive game the Athletics have won from the Teresas. Bergin's was the lone goal of the game.

Muny Season Ends.

The Famous-Barr and Yawits teams are tied for first place in the Forest Park division No. 1 of the Municipal Soccer League, as a result of the Famous-Barr 2—0 victory over the Yawits players Sunday. In the Fairground Park division the Commerce eleven won the pennant by holding the Trumbulls to a 1—1 draw.

JEANETTE-CARPENTIER RECEIPTS TOTAL $36,000

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PARIS, March 23.—The Carpentier-Jeanette fight, Sunday night, established a record both in numbers present and in amount taken at the doors. The fight went the stipulated number of rounds, Jeanette winning by a narrow margin on points. The result, though unpopular, was cheered by the 6000 people present, who paid a total of $35,000.

M. C. K.: Thanks to the Diamond I bought on credit from Loftis Bros. & Co., 308 N. 6th st., she accepted my proposal.

WRAY'S COLUMN

Well, Well! At Last a Manager!

BASING the opinion on reports from St. Petersburg, the Browns are now experiencing their first touch of life under a manager. During 12 years the team has been BOSSED, but not MANAGED.

For 12 years the club's owners have paid James McAleer, Jack O'Connor Bob Wallace and George Stovall salaries to order their players around. This year he is paying Rickey a fair salary for TEACHING the men what to do without being ordered.

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Rickey Has Otained Results.

NEWSPAPER correspondents on the ground are agreed that Rickey has accomplished the following results, during the spring training season:

Restored harmony to a bunch that was disintegrated, last season.

Brought his men to perfect condition without causing even a sore arm.

Taught slow men how to gain speed and fast men how to use it, in stealing.

Developed base-sliding to hitherto unknown excellence.

Used scientific methods to improve pitching and batting.

Enlisted the interest of his men in baseball classes.

All of which means that the Browns will open the season several laps ahead of their condition in previous years, BOTH AS TO PHYSICAL SHAPE AND SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE OF THE GAME. It may mean that the club will get an early season lead—a strong factor in helping a last place outfit to get a running start up the long grade toward first division.

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Passing of the Old-Timers.

RICKEY seems to be the first THINKER that has tried to handle the Browns. McAleer was a hide-bound old-timer who believed in signing experienced men, and letting them work as they pleased. O'Connor was another of the passing regime. Wallace lacked the punch and also was brought up in the Tebeau school. George Stovall, in this city, showed no sign of any qualities that go to make a leader, unless earnestness, a bad temper and hard words fill the bill.

Rickey is constructive. He is a teacher, like Connie Mack, and does not rely on ready-made talent to do things. This is the only type of manager that can hope to climb, except one that inherits A-1 talent.

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Where Rickey Is Wise.

RICKEY'S reluctance to release his men and his willingness to give all his new talent a thorough tryout is another thing that has called attention to his wisdom. With an original squad of 45 or more men, Rickey was confronted with the difficult task of sizing up about 25 new men and ascertaining their respective abilities IN A SHORT TIME.

To do this he has had to schedule as many as three practice games in the day. Nor has he had much assistance in this work. To date only a few men have been turned loose and Rickey is still looking them over, **although there is little doubt but that he has decided on the fate of at least 15 of his men.**

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More Horse Sense.

TO further test the newcomers of proven merit he will inject his new talent into the Cardinals-Browns series, making it a tryout for his aspirants instead of a useless scramble for honors that mean nothing but ruined arms and dispositions.

Rickey's methods have attracted favorable comment from other than local correspondents, who have crossed his trail while in Florida with other clubs, viz, the Athletics, Cubs and Colonels. **It may be that Boss Hedges has finally landed a competent jockey for his 10-to-1-shot American Derby candidate.**

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That Paris Champion.

LIKE our Browns—according to a well-known expert in the Florida encampment—Georges Carpentier, the French pugilistic idol, "looks good, even in defeat," at least to his own countrymen. Georges was handed a trimming by the venerable Mr. Joe Jeanette, the only man who was ever knocked down 20 times in a fight and survived to win it.

Yet his countrymen at the ringside cheered loudly and long for him and only deplored that he "had not yet put the finishing touches to his prowess" that would enable him to win the world's title.

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It's commendable support and the sort that should get Georgie to the top, it it's in him.

Future Is Cloudy.

BUT alack! There's literally a black outlook before George. Said prospect consists of one large edition of trouble, commonly called Sam Langford. The fact cannot be stated positively that Langford would have knocked out Carpentier had he been in Jeanette's place.

But there's a bank full of money to be wagered on the Senegambian end of the argument, if the dispute ever comes up.

Hasn't Defeated Much.

CARPENTIER is 20 years old and, in his way, is truly a wonder. He has fought his way up through every pugilistic class to the heavyweight, winning right along. He has received setbacks at the hands of Frank Klaus and Papke, as a middleweight; but his youth and the fact that his physique is still developing have prevented these disasters from being counted against him.

It's a long cry, however, from beating British champions and broken-down Americans like Willie Lewis, to stopping a real, live, rip-snorting terror like Langford, or even Gunboat Smith or Moran. Our private opinion is that if they are ever going to slip Georges that arm conscript notice, now's the time to do it. A few years in the army would let Father Time put in a few body blows to obstacles like Johnson, Jeanette and Langford.

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It's New York's Turn.

NEW YORK is now having its day with the wrestlers. It will be a sad one if the history of St. Louis, Chicago and Boston with the mat men is to be repeated at New York. It is unfortunate that the greatest game in the world involving personal contact of contestants cannot be handled right. The chief reason is that mat struggles that are on the square are the most gruelling of all. The punishment is greater, the endurance required infinitely above that of any other struggle. Besides, none can be a top-notch wrestler who does not live an absolutely clean, abstemious life. The physical requirements will not permit of excesses of any description.

Add to this that the easiest thing in the world to fake, without the spectator knowing it is a wrestling bout, and you have the explanations of why wrestling is not straight. Besides, a fake wrestling bout is infinitely more dazzling than the real thing. The exhibitors can do head spins and other electrifying stunts that might cost them broken necks in a struggle on the "up-and-up."

Kulage's League to Ring Up With Two Parks Apr. 19

Henry Kulage's solution for the high cost of living, which has taken form in the way of a baseball league which will purvey pastime at 10 cents per double-header, will be formally introduced to the natives of this city April 19. A double-header will be played on that day at Kulage's Park, while a single game will be played at Clayton, the other park-owning entrant.

Six teams are in this league, which has been named "Kulage's Ten Cent Baseball League." Charley Berkley, long identified with amateur sports as benefactor and betimes manager of a baseball club, is president of the new organization, with H. Douglas Buckley and L. L. Arms as vice-presidents. The secretaryship has not been permanently fastened on anybody as yet.

The teams are well balanced and represent the pick of the local semi-pro talent, the respective managers say. The clubs will be the Harrison's, Midland A. C., Nicholsons, Banner Buggies, Shehan Tailors and 99ds.

Jack McNulty, who stopped a straight jab from Jack O'Connor's shoulder with his jaw, is the busy manager of the Nicholsons, who will make their home at Clayton. McNulty has signed enough players to populate 'steen leagues, but believes that he has in the army of talent the "makings" for a winning team.

Billy Erlman has in the 99ds, a neat entry. His infield, composed of J. Marre, Smiley King, Al Walsh and Pat Green, stands out as one of the best in the league. Erman has managed this club for four years and many of his players have graduated into organized baseball. He's an astute leader and flies an early claim for the flag.

FOUR C. A. C. ATHLETES TO COMPETE IN CHICAGO

The Columbian Athletic Club will be represented by four athletes in the three-day athletic meet under the auspices of the Sportsman's Club of America, in Chicago Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The athletes selected for the trip are Probet, middle distance runner; Ruff, high jumper and shot-putter, and Beck and Arnson, sprinters. They will depart Tuesday evening.

The C. A. C. announces that it will hold four athletic meets at its park, Thirteenth and Utah streets, during the summer, as well as an 11½-mile road race in May and a 26-mile Marathon in July.

CHANCE PUTS GILHOOLEY ON YANKS' FIRST TEAM

HOUSTON, Tex., March 23.—Charley Rose, the little southpaw pitcher, is the first of Chance's recruits to feel the cold steel of the ax head on the ticklish section of the first vertebrae. He was released to Houston, the team that sent him forth to battle for a major League recognition, today.

The rest of his athletes Chance declares will revel in big League grub at least until the return to the big town. The manager today announced that he had promoted Frank Gilhooley to a position with the regulars. The speedy boy from Montreal will play right field.

ST. LOUIS TENPIN MEN WIN NO GOLD MEDALS IN A. B. C.

Jerry Ameling, Now in Third Place in Singles, Comes Closest to a Championship.

St. Louisans Roll Poor Scores in A. B. C. Event

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 23.—St. Louis teams today made the following scores in the two-man tenpin events of the A. B. C.:

R. Meyer	186	170	172
J. Peaks	192	195	189—1104
H. Rood	190	171	187
J. A. Beresford	164	168	158—1038
I. Rawson	156	173	169
C. Hoffine	186	182	168—1034
E. Hilker	192	174	168
J. Schmitt	156	172	179—1019
H. Schaefer	155	142	159
A. M. Joquel	168	190	200—1014

From a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 23.—St. Louis' five-men teams have finished rolling in the American Bowling Congress without winning a championship. However, four of the five teams to compete will probably receive some of the prize money. The Wooster Lamberts and Columbias made the best bids for the medals, but bad breaks injured their chances.

St. Louis bowlers attending the tournament here are of the opinion that if Wooster Lambert had rolled with his team it would have well nigh taken first place. They point to the fact that Lambert always gets a good total on A. B. C. alleys. Gus Schuttenberg rolled in Lambert's place and pulled up with only 500 pins.

Jerry Ameling of the Union Sodas will probably be as high man of the St. Louis tenpin experts here. Ameling reversed the form he displayed in the five-men event in his singles performance and collected 663 pins. That gives him third place in the standing to date. His single games were 236, 204 and 213.

Machine Detects the "Dodo."

Arthur Rothwell of the Hyde Parks fared next best in the singles. His total was 601. George Qualey fell down in the singles after having a good chance for prize money in the all-events. His total was 531.

A feature of the tournament has been the "Dodo" catch, a scale made especially to weigh bowling balls. The machine can detect if a ball is a fraction of an inch heavier on any side, no matter how it is placed on the scale. Its use prevents the "Dodo" or loaded ball from getting into the tournament.

St. Louis bowlers probably will take the scale to St. Louis to use in the St. Louis Bowling Association tournament which begins April 3.

Jerry Ameling, Arthur Rothwell and Otto Stein rolled inconsistent tenpins in their matches. However, they may get some prize money. The real surprise from a St. Louis standpoint was that Jule Schmitt was low man of his team.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

FAIRGROUND PARK.

Standing of the Teams.

DIVISION 1.

CLUB.	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Commerce	10	4	5	25
Trumbulls	10	6	3	23
Sonnenbergs	7	10	1	15
Leiberman Bros.	6	11	2	14

DIVISION 2.

Claxtons	6	3	10	22
Banner Buggies	7	6	7	21
Millers	5	7	7	17
Athlones	5	8	6	16

DIVISION 3.

St. Matthews	13	2	3	29
Bob Whites	11	6	1	22
Shehans	9	7	2	20
Arlingtons	0	18	0	0

Sunday's Results.

DIVISION 1.

Commerce, 1; Trumbulls, 1.
Sonnenbergs, 2; Leibermans, 0.

DIVISION 2.

Athlones, 1; Claxtons, 0.
Millers, 2; Banner Buggies, 0 (forfeit).

DIVISION 3.

No games played.

FOREST PARK.

Standing of the Teams.

DIVISION 1.

CLUB.	W.	L.	T.	Pts
Yawitz	11	6	2	24
Famous and Barr	9	4	6	24
Hands A. C.	6	7	6	18
Oaklands	1	11	4	10

DIVISION 2.

Leons	12	3	3	27
Chenoweths	5	7	5	15
Stix, Baer & Fullers	5	8	4	14
St. Louis Cricket Club	6	10	2	12

Sunday's Results.

DIVISION 1.

Famous and Barrs, 2; Yawits, 0.
Hands A. C., 2; Oaklands, 0 (forfeit).

DIVISION 2.

St. Louis Cricket Club, 2; Leons, 0 (forfeit).
Chenoweths, 3; Stix, Baer & Fullers, 3.

CARONDELET PARK.

Standing of the Teams.

CLUB.	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
SS. Mary and Josephs	12	2	3	27
Popp's Tigers	9	10	3	21
Spanish Club	9	8	2	20
Concordia T. V.	0	17	0	0

Sunday's Results.

SS. Mary and Josephs, 2; Concordia Turnverein, 0 (forfeit).
Popp's Tigers, 2; Spanish Club, 0 (forfeit).

SPORT SALAD

BY L. C. DAVIS.



On the Job.

WHO is the public's greatest pest?
Tommy Rott.
Who never lets us have a rest?
Tommy Rott.
Who is it spreads the liquid soap
And buoys up our flagging hope
With reams of optimistic dope?
Tommy Rott.

Who hands us out a line of guff?
Tommy Rott.
Who throws a monumental bluff?
Tommy Rott.
Who is this journalistic bear
That shoots the super-heated air—
What is the blighter's nom de guerre?
Tommy Rott.

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Johnny Evers' little son, who has been appointed official mascot for the Boston Braves, is said to be the very image of his dad. Cheer up, little man, think of the thousands of other poor unfortunates.

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President John K. Tener says there is not room for a third league. Plenty of room, John, if you'll just put your bundles in your lap and not try to hog the whole darned seat.

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As long as there are vacant lots and idle capital seeking an outlet there always will be room for one more.

NOT PROVEN.

IN the Spring the poets scribble
Verses to the azure sky;
Being no poet, Ischcabible—
Witness this here alibi.

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Tom Sharkey, who is serving a 30-day jail sentence in New York, a town situated on Manhattan Island, just across the river from Brooklyn, writes a friend in San Francisco that little old New York has taken out a dog license and is honk-honking to the demolition bowwows; and that, at the expiration of his sentence, he intends to shake the dust of said L. O. N. Y. from his No. 13 B. B.'s and enroll himself among the registered voters of San Francisco.

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Reconcile This, John.

That there are no bats building their bungalows in the belfry of John L. Sullivan is generally admitted. But the old warrior's line of reasoning runs a little to the zig-zag when he says that interest in the game of fisticuffs is waning, as witness the let-up between Ad Wolgast and Willie Ritchie, lightweights, when the loser's end was close to $12,000, or, more than John L. received when he knocked the excelsior out of Paddy Ryan and won the heavyweight championship.

Kieckhefer and Benson Play Opening Block of $500 Cue Match Tonight

The first block of the 200-point three-cushion billiard match between August Kieckhefer of Milwaukee and Frank Benson of this city will be played at the Rex Monday evening. The match is divided into four parts, two to be played here and two in Milwaukee. A purse of $500 is up for the winner.

Kieckhefer recently won the championship of the Interstate Three-cushion Billiard League, while Benson finished fifth. Kieckhefer won two matches from Benson in the league play, but the local star figures to win the special tilt for money.

HEINE WAGNER MAY NOT PLAY AT ALL THIS YEAR

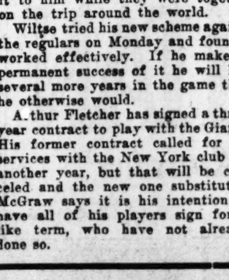
HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 23.—"Heine" Wagner, Red Sox shortstop, may be lost to the Boston club for the entire season. He is suffering from an attack of rheumatism, and physicians say he will find it troublesome for quite awhile. Manager Carrigan has been grooming Scott and Janvrin for the position. Wagner hasn't been in a uniform thus far this season.

In 1911 Wagner's throwing arm went back on him, and he was out of the game most of the season in 1912 but in 1913 he played a star game

TAKE IT FROM ME, DICK, you can get a genuine diamond for $1 a week of Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st.

Two Changes in W. A. Circuit.

TULSA, Ok., March 23.—Directors of the Western Baseball Association in session here last night transferred the franchises surrendered by Pittsburg, Kan., and Fort Smith, Ark., to Springfield, Mo., and McAlester, Ok. Oklahoma City, Muskogee and Tulsa, Ok., are the other members of the association. A schedule meeting will be held here next Sunday.



Rickey to Send Recruits Against Cards, Saturday

Browns' Manager Will Have Several New Faces in Lineup for First Game of Spring Series—Training Camp Gosip.

AFTER a month of intensive training in St. Petersburg, Fla., the Browns today are migrating northward for their annual tail-end championship with the Cardinals. A squad of 38 players is now under Rickey's command, but at least 10 of this number will be dropped en route.

The Browns have a game booked in Birmingham, Memphis and Nashville and will leave a few recruits in each of these cities before returning to their permanent summer camp at Sportsman's Park. Rickey began the training season with 45 players. He already has cut that squad to 38. By the time he reaches St. Louis he will have less than 30.

The announcement that Rickey would use several second-string men in the pre-season series with the Cardinals, proved an interesting bit of news for the local fans Monday. **It has been unofficially but reliably stated that the Browns' infield will be manned by Howard or Leary at first; Miller at Second; Bisland at short, and Austin at third with Messenger, Rumler and Earnst Walker in the outfield when the spring series opens.** This will give the St. Louis fans a chance to see what the kids amount to and incidentally will indicate who's who on Rickey's squad.

Miller Looks Good.

This man Miller, given name Eddie, who was up before as a first-sacker, seems to have rounded out nicely as a second sacker, and the tip is out that he will give Derrill Pratt a stiff argument for the permanent assignment at second but that is at present the most finished first-sacker, although a trifle weak with the willow, while Bisland is destined to do the bulk of the work at short until Johnny Lavan, the Michigan wonder, reports in June. Lavan has been returned to the Browns by Connie Mack, who borrowed the Wolverine star last season when Jack Barry was injured. Rickey is pretty sweet on Lavan.

Among the new pitchers are James, Witte, Manning and Hoch, who will assist the regulars—Mitchell, Hamilton, Leverenz, Baumgardner and Taylor—with the opening day.

The first squad of Brownies will reach here Thursday and will be reinforced with a second detachment Friday morning. The series will open Saturday at Sportsman's Park.

CARDS OPPOSE MACKMEN IF WEATHER PERMITS

From a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 23.—If the diamond dries out and the mercury climbs a few pegs in the thermometer, the Cardinals and Athletics will clash on the local field today. It is Manager Huggins' intention to send Hank Robinson, the Piratical southpaw, against the world's champions, while Chief Bender, the eminent Chippewa, probably will hurl for the Athletics. Robinson will go the full route if he is at all effective, as the big southpaw is slated to antagonize the Browns, and Hug wants to give him a good workout.

Most of the Cardinal regulars are in shape for a stiff tiff with the Mackmen today. Jack Miller will return to his berth at first after taking a flier at shortstopping, as Artie Butler's busted finger has mended and he's ready to earn his salary. Whitted will show at third, with Huggins or Dolan on second. Wingo will be paired with Robinson, with Magee, Cather and Wilson in the outfield.

Cold Weather Worries Players.

The Cardinals were idle yesterday and likewise on Saturday. The weather for these two days has been anything but favorable and a few of the players complain of sore joints although they all expect to round to if given a good workout this afternoon.

Hug has announced no releases as yet, although he has such a small squad that he need not worry about reducing his list. He has five catchers—Wingo, Snyder, O'Connor, Roche and Glenn—and probably will get rid of at least one before the championship season opens. Either Glenn or Roche will feel the guillotine's ax. Of the 10 pitchers Hug will keep all for the present, but may reduce his squad to eight when the big season opens. The eight tipped to remain are: Sallee, Steele, Perritt, Doak, Hagerman, Griner, Niehaus and Robinson.

Charley Miller is the only extra outfielder, while Beck and Dolan are the unplaced infielders. Although Hug has 28 players on hand it will be easy for him to get within the prescribed limit of 25 when the proper time comes.

INDIANAPOLIS TRAINER TO WORK FOR CARDINALS

Al Woods, for several years a trainer with the St. Paul and Indianapolis (A. A.) clubs, has been hired by Manager Huggins of the Cardinals on the recommendation of Mike Kelley, who bossed the Saints and Hoosiers when Woods did the masseur work. Woods reported in St. Louis Monday and will be waiting for Huggins when the Cards return Thursday.

JACK BRITTON TO FACE KELLY HERE IN COLISEUM BOUT

Cleverest of 135-Pound Boxers Signs to Fight on Monday March 30.

"Silent Dan" Morgan, manager of Jack Britton, the Eastern lightweight, hesitated 24 hours before accepting the offer to meet Leo Kelly, the "Pride of Compton Hill," before the National Athletic Club in the Coliseum building, March 30.

To Britton was offered the match after Jimmy Duffy of Lockport, N. Y., refused to come on for a bout with Kelly. Kelly's recent good showing against Freddie Welsh, the Englishman, and other lightweights, has caused many of the so-called championship aspirants to give the local redhead a wide berth.

It is said that Welsh personally informed Duffy that Kelly was no easy foe; and for that reason Duffy found an excuse to skip the local date. When the match was offered to Britton, Morgan, his manager, named 135 pounds at 3 o'clock on the day of the bout as the weight.

Britton to Make Debut.

Kelly declined to let the match slip by because of this figure and posted a forfeit. It will mark Britton's first appearance in St. Louis. Although he has never boxed here Britton is well known because of his good work against some of the best 133 and 135-pounders in the game.

He is a Chicago boy, but has made New York his home for the last couple of years.

Trendall Ready for Waugh.

Harry Trendall of St. Louis and Bobby Waugh of Texas will meet in a return eight-round bout at the Future City A. C. Tuesday night. On their previous meeting two weeks ago Waugh defeated the local lightweight. Trendall alleged he was not in good condition. This time he says he is right and promises to reverse the verdict.

For the semi-windup, Manager Sullivan has booked Joe Thompson, a local product, and George Norwood of Oakland, at 135 pounds. Young Foley and Jimmy Sanders will meet in the curtain-raiser.

Almost all the Eastern college ball nines will have returned from their spring Southern trips when the Harvard squad starts out on April 15, the day after the big League races begin.

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Art Fletcher Signs a 3-Year Contract; Other Giants to Do Likewise

MARLIN, Tex., March 23.—Pitcher "Hooks" Wiltse is to use a spitball delivery this year, and a southpaw slinger of the damp pellet is somewhat of a rarity. Wiltse, appreciating that his old style of pitching was a back number, as far as effectiveness goes, has decided to take up the spit-ball, acting on the advice of Manager McGraw, who recommended it to him while they were together on the trip around the world.

Wiltse tried his new scheme against the regulars on Monday and found it worked effectively. If he makes a permanent success of it he will last several more years in the game than he otherwise would.

Arthur Fletcher has signed a three-year contract to play with the Giants. His former contract called for his services with the New York club for another year, but that will be canceled and the new one substituted. McGraw says it is his intention to have all of his players sign for a like term, who have not already done so.

Nap Pitcher Who Plays Infield to Be Assessed $50

Birmingham's Newest Order Will Prevent Foolish Practice of Hurlers.

ATHENS, Ga., March 23.—Pitchers who persist in playing the infield and throwing across the diamond will, be subject to a fine of $50.

That order, introduced in 1913, has been recalled from its winter abode because of the persistency with which several of Birmingham's pitchers linger around the infield trying to emulate the example of Nap Lajoie and Tuck Turner in fielding and of Hans Wagner and other strong-armed men in throwing.

20 for 15¢


Tinker's Chi-Feds Seem to Be a Few Feds Shy

$50,000 OFFERED AD WOLGAST FOR 4 COAST BATTLES

Ritchie, Cross, Murphy and Welsh Opponents Proposed for "Wildcat."

Ad Wolgast is doing business on a big scale. A report from Michigan says that the ex-champion has just closed with Jim Coffroth of San Francisco for four matches on the Pacific Coast and that he names $50,000 as the sum he is to receive. Wolgast is to fight Ritchie, Murphy, Welsh and Cross.

No affidavit goes with the above. Ad says the $50,000 is to be paid whether he wins or loses any of the bouts. Just how valuable he'd be to Coffroth is something of a problem.

It's not likely, however, that any of the fighters named will score a knockout, unless Ritchie turns the trick. The champion has the punch and the skill to deliver it. Murphy and Wolgast have fought three times with no serious danger of a knockout on either side. Murphy won the decision in the last match. Freddy Welsh is fast and clever, but hasn't enough of a punch to worry any first-class lightweight. Cross has the punch and might land it with the proper effect, but Wolgast is probably fast enough to keep Leach busy for 20 rounds.

Boxers Tread the Boards.

Benny McGovery and Jabez White, active members of Fistiana, are rivaling John Lawrence Sullivan, former king of the heavyweights, in local burlesque houses this week. Sullivan, now weighing 300 pounds, delivers a monologue, but doesn't try to show how he once laid his opponents low. McGovern and White have a skit in which they give a three-round boxing exhibition.

Tom Andrews, the fight promoter of Milwaukee, who conducted the recent Ritchie-Wolgast bout in that city, which drew $35,000, has made Willie Ritchie an offer of $10,000 for another battle with Wolgast the early part of May. Ritchie says he will give his answer after his fight with Tommy Murphy in Frisco, April 27.

Battling Nelson is not broke by any means. A few days ago he was offered $23,000 for two corner lots that he owns in Hegewisch, his home, and he promptly refused it by saying that he was not in need of money and would hold on to the lots until he got a better price.

Post-Dispatch Public School Baseball League Championship Season Will Be Opened Apr. 11

THE 1914 season of the Post-Dispatch Public School Baseball League will open Saturday, April 11. Indications are that about 50 teams will enter the race for the school championship of the city and for the pennants and medals donated by the Post-Dispatch.

The league is divided as follows: West End Division No. 1, West End Division No. 2, North End Division No 1, North End Division No. 2, South Side Division No. 1, South Side Division No. 2, Central Division No. 1, Central Division No. 2.

On Saturdays in April and May the games to determine the division championships will be played. Winners in these will then compete in a series for the city championship.

The Post-Dispatch will give banners to the winners of division titles, a pennant to the city champions and gold medals to the members of the victorious club.

Captains and managers of each school team must report Monday, March 23, to the manager of the league at the Post-Dispatch to receive membership cards and arrange grounds.

Levinsky Takes Long Chance in Fighting Smith

Jim Buckley has signed up for a Gunboat Smith-Battling Levinsky fight, which has already been scheduled for May 8 in this city.

Gunboat Smith is to get a guarantee of $5000 for his end, with the privilege of taking 50 per cent of the gate receipts after the State tax has been deducted. Levinsky's end will be a split of the profits with the promoters. No doubt Smith's 50 per cent will run far ahead of the guarantee.

There will not be a great deal of difference in weight between these two. Gunboat, for all his heavy hitting, is only a little over 180 pounds, while Levinsky is a little under. Morgan, Levinsky's manager, says that he will now stop matching the Battler three times a week and give him a rest, which will probably bring him up eight or ten pounds in weight.

The element that gives most interest to a contest will be present in this match. Levinsky has developed a very effective combination of speed and cleverness. He has fought bigger men so often that he has gained an unusual degree of defensive skill, while his natural pugnacity makes him aggressive enough to suit anyone. The Gunboat isn't a fancy boxer, by any means. He has an awkward but effective style of fighting. Levinsky may outbox him a mile in 10 rounds, yet there's a great chance that the Gunner may be able to reach him with the curtain dropping hook or swing long before 80 minutes of fighting have passed.

St. Louis Feds Again Defeat Tinker's Outfit

From a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MONROE, La., March 23.—Satisfied with their 16—10 victory over the Chicago Feds, yesterday afternoon, the proteges of Mordecai Brown will today resume their routine training. The St. Louis outlaws had a field day at the expense of the second-string members of Tinker's tribe, getting 18 hits in yesterday's mad matinee.

Hughie Miller, the St. Louis boy, who played last year with Montreal, trained his eye on the ball yesterday and combed three hits out of five times up, while Fred Kommers, Del Drake and Joe Mathes each collected two safeties out of four trips to the pan. Al Bridwell was the only regular to avoid the hit column, but he coaxed three walks, and scored as many runs.

Willett and Groom pitched yesterday, and took things easy, as they have not yet reached top form. At that, both are rapidly rounding in shape, and promise to be the backbone of the hurling staff.

P. D. C. Ball, one of the stockholders of the St. Louis club, was a visitor yesterday, and saw his pets lambast the visitors. Ball will remain here a few days.

Promoter Tom McCarey of Los Angeles, Cal., has secured Freddie Welsh's consent to meet either Willie Ritchie or Packey McFarland in a bout at Vernon, C., July 4. McCarey is now negotiating with Ritchie, but he fears that the American champion will demand too much money to meet Welsh.

LAJOIE'S BATTING MARK OF .422 HAS NEVER BEEN TIED

Cobb Came Closest in 1911 When He Attained .420, but None Other Is Near.

BURKETT LOCAL HERO

The "Crab" Hit .382 in 1901, the Best Performance of Any St. Louis Player.

Napoleon Lajoie never has been known to complain regarding the salary paid him by Charles W. Somers, but it is quite likely that he wishes that during all the time he has worked for the Naps their liberal owner had offered him a bonus such as Joe Jackson has been proffered this season. The Carolina Clouter, according to rumor, is to get so much if he hits above .400, so much if he hits above .375 and so much if he hits above .350. Never having hit below the last named mark since he has been in the American League, the chances are that J. J. will earn at least one of the extra sums his contract calls for, even if the Cincinnati base hit has been abolished.

Look what Larry would have had, however, in the way of extra remuneration had his contract called for more money in the event of his hitting above .350, .375 or .400. In 1901, working for Connie Mack, the King piled up an average of .422, still the high-water mark for the American League, and only approached by Ty Cobb in 1911, the year he was accounted the most valuable player in the younger organization by the Chalmers jury of newspaper experts. The Georgian hit .420 that year, and .410 the next. Joe Jackson having an average of .408 in 1911 and Charley ("Duke") Farrell an average of .404 in 1902.

Cobb Is a Demon.

During the two years of his employment by Somers, Larry has hit better than .375, and in five years better than .350. Cobb has been above the last named mark six times, Hans Wagner five times, Joe Jackson four times, Tris Speaker twice, Ed Delahanty twice, Olaf Henriksen twice and Mike Donlin twice. The players who have once hit .350 or better in the American and National Leagues from 1901 to 1913, inclusive, are "Duke" Farrell, Dave Rowan, Earl Yingling, Jesse Burkett, Sam Crawford, Cy Seymour, Lew Wiltse (brother of George and, like him, a pitcher), Heine Zimmerman, "Babe" Borton, Eddie Collins, Charley Hickman, Bill Kennedy, Jack Lelivelt, Jay Kirke, George Stone, "Nig" Clarke, "Chief" Meyers, Clarence Beaumont, Billy Keeler, Charley McDonald, Jimmy Sheckard, Jack Lapp, John McGraw, Fred Clarke, Roger Bresnahan and Jake Daubert. The full list is appended:

BETTER THAN .400.

.422—Lajoie, White Elephants, in 1901.
.420—Cobb, Tigers, in 1911.
.410—Cobb, Tigers, in 1912.
.408—Jackson, Naps, in 1911.
.404—Farrell, Red Sox, in 1908.

.370 OR BETTER.

.395—Jackson, Naps, in 1912.
.390—Cobb, Tigers, in 1913.
.387—Jackson, Naps, in 1910.
.385—Cobb, Tigers, in 1910.
.384—Lajoie, Naps, in 1910; Rowan, Browns, in 1911.
.383—Speaker, Red Sox, in 1912; Yingling, Superbas, in 1913.
.382—Burkett, Cardinals, in 1901.
.381—Lajoie, Naps, in 1904.
.378—Crawford, Tigers, in 1912.
.377—Seymour, Reds, in 1906; Cobb, Tigers, in 1909.
.376—Delahanty, Senators, in 1902.
.375—Henriksen, Red Sox, in 1913.

.350 OR BETTER.

.373—Wiltse, White Elephants, in 1901; Jackson, Naps, in 1913.
.372—Zimmerman, Cubs, in 1912.
.371—Borton, White Sox, in 1912.
.369—Lajoie, Naps, in 1902.
.368—Lajoie, Naps, in 1912.
.366—Henriksen, Red Sox, in 1911; Speaker, Red Sox, in 1913.
.365—Lajoie, Naps, in 1911; Collins, White Elephants, in 1911.
.363—Hickman, Naps, in 1903; Wagner, Pirates, in 1905.
.362—Kennedy, Pirates, in 1908; Lelivelt, Yankees, in 1912.
.360—Kirke, Braves, in 1911.
.358—Stone, Browns, in 1906; Clarke, Naps, in 1906; Meyers, Giants, in 1912.
.357—Delahanty, Phillies, in 1901; Beaumont, Pirates, in 1902.
.356—Donlin, Reds, in 1905.
.355—Keeler, Superbas, in 1901; Wagner, Pirates, in 1903; Lajoie, Naps, in 1903; Lajoie, Naps, in 1906; McDonald, Braves, in 1913.
.354—Wagner, Pirates, in 1908.
.353—Sheckard, Superbas, in 1901; Lapp, White Elephants, in 1911.
.352—McGraw, Orioles, in 1901; Wagner, Pirates, in 1901.
.351—Clarke, Pirates, in 1903; Donlin, Reds, in 1908.
.350—Bresnahan, Giants, in 1903; Wagner, Pirates, in 1907; Cobb, Tigers, in 1907; Daubert, Superbas, in 1913.

FED LEAGUE SCHEDULE COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY

BALTIMORE, March 23.—Federal League baseball magnates went into session here today to decide on a playing schedule for the coming season. With four other circuits—National, American, International and American Association—to dodge, they were confronted with a difficult problem.

It was recognized that conflicts in dates cannot be avoided in Chicago and St. Louis, where there are two opposing major league clubs. The fact that Baltimore is in the eastern section of the International and Buffalo in the western division, while both are in the eastern section of the Federal League, also presented another difficulty.

President James A. Gilmore and Secretary Lloyd Rickart reached Baltimore early today with a preliminary draft of the playing dates. President Robert B. Ward of the Brooklyn club came yesterday, and throughout the day was in conference with several of the Baltimore delegates relative to a schedule he had prepared.

DIAMOND GLINTS.

Following the lead of Claude Martin and Count Henry Hoffman, "Milky," the negro mascot of the Cardinals, has hopped to the Feds. "Milky" sang his way into a job at Robison field last fall and was under reserve for the coming season, but fell for the "cash in hand" offered by the outlaws.

John McGraw's Giants were held to four hits in their game with the Dallas (Texas League) club Sunday, but managed to win, 5—3. The Giants in their practice games this spring have shown the same lamentable weakness in batting that characterized their work last year.

Manager Henri O'Day of the Cubs, who as an umpire never fared very well at the hands of Roger Patrick Bresnahan, the "Bull in a China Shop," is getting sweet revenge. O'Day had Roger on the job in every spring practice game, the Duke splitting 50—50 with Archer in the work behind the bat. Roger officiated against Memphis yesterday and the Cubs copped, 7—4.

The Kansas City Feds walloped the Indianapolis outlaws, 16—6, Sunday, hammering the offerings of Cy Falkenberg and George Mullin for 20 hits. These returns will be music to the ears of Joe Birmingham, Charley Somers et al.

With Cicotte and Schalk in the points, the White Sox could do not better than rose to the Venice (Coast League) club Sunday, 6—3. As L. C. D. would say, it looks like first division—for Venice.

Cubs Accused of Nagging Umpires in Spring Games

Manager O'Day in New Role, Assumes Different Stand From One Taken With Reds.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 23.—According to the Athletics, the Chicago Cubs are taking their work very seriously this spring. They manifest this disposition especially in the manner in which they conduct themselves on the playing field.

The Cubs have lost none of their crabbiness through the loss of Johnny Evers. They have started out to make life miserable for the umpires, even in the exhibition games. The attitude of the Cubs in the series at Tampa amazed the Athletics. Mack's players are not much on kicking, even in the championship contests. But they had no idea that a League combination would go to such extremes in exhibition events that the Cubs have done.

According to Capt. Ira Thomas and the other regulars, the work of th umpire at Tampa, especially in the first game, which went 10 innings, was something fierce. The Cubs were after the arbitrator all the time, while one of the Cub players was guilty of swearing so loud that a murmur of dissent went up from the spectators.

Up to date Manager O'Day, who would not permit any kicking when he was an umpire, has failed to put a restraining hand on his players.

Giants Sure to Annex Another Pennant, Says Ground Keeper Fabian

Hank Fabian, former ground keeper at Sportsman's Park, but now tiller of the soil at the Polo Grounds, New York, passed through St. Louis Wednesday, on his way from Marlin Springs, Tex., to Gotham. Hank says the general opinion in the New York camp is that the Giants will win the N. L. flag in a merry gallop. Pittsburg is the only other contender.

"McGraw's a little worried just now about losing Art Shafer," said Fabian Wednesday. "But I believe Shafer will be back. Owner Hempstead was sent to the coast to coax the third-sacker into the fold at any cost. Should he fail, Snodgrass will play third with Murray, Burns and Beecher in the outfield.

"Larry McLean is looking fine. He's working hard and serenely confident that he will get in on another world's series melon."

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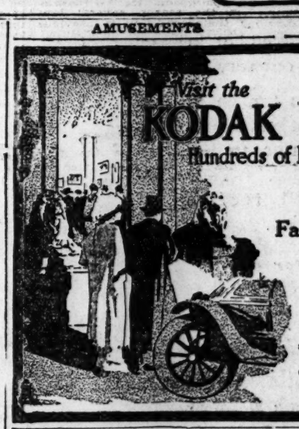
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JEWISH FAIR PRIZE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Moses Hartmann Voted Most Popular Matron, Mattie Horn Handsomest Young Woman.

Following a week's voting at the Jewish Fair and Carnival, which came to an end at the Coliseum Saturday night, the following prize winners were announced:

Most popular matron in attendance: Mrs. Moses Hartmann, 5364 Kingsbridge avenue, 2740 votes, first; Mrs. Jacques Back, 5896 Cates avenue, 2492 votes, second.

Handsomest young woman at the fair: Miss Mattie Horn, daughter of Mrs. E. Horn, 4456 Lacleds avenue, 4400 votes, first; Miss Dorothy Stern, 3800 votes, second.

Most popular young woman: Miss Nettie Lasky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lasky, 5537 Berlin avenue, first; Miss Birdie Landau of Kensington avenue, second.

Mrs. Harry Cohn, 5045 Cates avenue, won the distinction of being the most popular member of the Ben Akiba Lodge in attendance.



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RADIUM CLAIMS RUSHED WHILE BILL IS DELAYED

Senators and Others Fear Prospectors Have Used Opportunity to Gain Monopoly.

ORE SHIPPED TO EUROPE

Mines Bureau Director Reports on Scarcity of Radium in United States.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—That the Government has failed in its efforts to obtain a monopoly of radium-bearing ores for the treatment of cancer and the monopoly has been obtained by prospectors and operators instead, is a fear expressed by Senators and others interested in the radium measure now before Congress.

Opponents of the measure have so delayed legislation that every known prospect has been claimed. While the bill as reported to the House provided that no radium-bearing ore ever could be sold except to the Government or to anyone else without the Government's consent, the amended measure as reported to the Senate provides that the Government can obtain the ore only by being ready to buy it when offered.

Information which has reached the Interior Department, showing the rush that has been made for claims, led Senator Walsh of Montana, chairman of the Senate Committee on Mines and Mining, to decide to bring the matter up for debate on the floor tomorrow.

"If the pending bill is required at all it should become law at once," said Senator Walsh.

Mines Bureau Statement.

Dr. Joseph A. Holmes, director of the Bureau of Mines, in his annual report issued yesterday declares that there has been a great waste in mining radium.

"It is estimated that in the United States 75,000 persons each year died from cancer," he says. "Radium is considered the most promising cure for certain types of cancer. But the serious barrier to progress in demonstrating this fact is the scarcity of radium. There is probably not more than 30 grammes (about one ounce) of radium now available for use in such treatment in all countries. Of this amount there is probably not more than two grams of radium bromide in the United States, in the hands of a few surgeons. Probably 15 grammes of radium bromide was produced during 1912; and of this nearly 11.5 grams were extracted in European countries from ores shipped from the United States—mainly from Colorado and Utah.

Vainly Trying to Buy Radium.

"During 1913 there was a total production of 2140 tons of radium-bearing ores in the United States, of which nearly all was shipped abroad.

"Meanwhile the American hospitals are vainly endeavoring to purchase and bring back to the United States for their own use some small part of this radium, even at such prices as $120,000 or $160,000 per gram, or $500,000 to $800,000 for the five grams of radium that a large hospital should have or have access to for special cases."

MAX: When she says "Yes," hurry over to Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st., and buy a diamond on credit.

Train Kills Man and Woman.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 23.—George L. Michelle of Portland and Miss Essie Ellis of Salt Lake City, were instantly killed by an electric train on a trestle near Estacada yesterday. Miss Ellis' foot became caught in a crevice as the train approached. She screamed and Michelle stopped to aid her.

The head of a large and successful business concern, whose employes are counted by the hundreds, in a recent talk to his men, said: "The best recommendation a young man could bring me in applying for a position would be a savings pass book, showing a regularity of deposits. It is well known that a young man who saves his money and becomes successful in his own affairs will likely aid in the success of his employer." The Mercantile Trust Co., Eighth and Locust streets, with its unequaled facilities for saving small or large sums of money, extends a cordial invitation to everyone to open a Mercantile Savings Account.

Fire in Home Arouses Boarder.

Fire was discovered about 12:15 a. m. Monday in the home of Barney Rieger at 531 North Spring avenue, when George Rieger, a brother and boarder was awakened by smoke pouring into hiseeeseeddwho0",azilwb- cmf wmmbb his bedroom. The fire started in the basement. It was put out with slight damage.

One Minute Toothache Stick Stops toothache quick. All druggists, 10c.

Mississippians Lynch Negro.

INVERNESS, Miss., March 23.—A mob broke down the doors of the county jail here Saturday night, removed an unidentified negro, and hanged him from a railroad trestle. The negro was charged with slaying Samuel Lusco, in charge of a car of fruit en route from New Orleans to Memphis. The negro was Lusco's helper.

$6 TOLEDO AND RETURN $6

March 27, via Clover Leaf Route.

Coronation of the Shah.

TEHERAN, March 23.—The coronation of the Shah of Persia will take place July 21, when His Majesty will be 17 years old.

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"ACTOIDS" Cure Constipation.

Robbed and Then Fined.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 23.—After being enticed into a dark alley and robbed of $4.75 and his clothing, J. T. Singer was haled into court and fined $5 for intoxication.

MANY a girl who seems distant is only a stone's throw away—but it's a precious stone. Get a diamond from Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st., on credit.

Have a Life Motion Picture Taken—6th Fl. | Hear the Angelus Player-Piano—Sixth Floor. | Bring Original Saleschecks With Goods for Exchange or Refund.

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS ALL DAY TUESDAY.

TOMORROW is DOUBLE EAGLE STAMP DAY, the important day on the shopping calendar of the week for thousands of thrifty buyers. It's the day of double earnings on cash purchases made here—the day when we give two of the valuable **Eagle Stamps** instead of the customary one. Hundreds of STAMP ECONOMISTS will concentrate the purchase of Spring household & personal needs here Tuesday, & in so doing make the most helpful economies.

New Wash Goods
Pretty new Voiles, Ratines, Crepes, Swiss effects, Poplins, Ginghams, Tissues, etc.—in plain, stripes, checked & printed patterns—more than 100 pieces for choosing—Tuesday, yd., **25c.**
Main Floor, Aisle 3.

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now going on brings splendid American movement Watches, in plain & fancy cases—sizes for men, women, boys & girls. Cases are 10-year guaranteed, plain or Roman gold. To begin this first twice-yearly event, were 500 Watches to be sold at $4.85.
Jewelry Store, Main Floor.

Continuing Tuesday, With Selections Unrivaled, This Timely &

Extraordinary Sale of Silk Suits, $24.75



The Very Suits Now in Strongest Demand. Correct Styles in Moire, Faille, Taffeta & Crepe Silk

Garments Which Rightfully Should Be Priced $32.50 to $35.00

How we came into possession of these stylish Spring Silk Suits at so much under worth just at a time when Silk Suits are so hard to get, is an interesting story. But what concerns women most is the fact that they are here in a wide diversity of Spring's best styles, three of which are here shown.

Suits are of silk faille, taffeta, moire, also crepe & other woolen materials included. These are in Spring's newest shades & navy & black. The latest designing ideas of the short jackets & the new bouffant skirt is shown & garments are exact copies of suits priced at double the amount, being attractively trimmed with fancy net, laces & embroidery. They will be quickly & eagerly chosen at this remarkable price..... **$24.75**

"Victoria" Coats at $12.75
Charming new styles of wool crepe, bengaline, moire silk, serge, waffle checks & granite cloth, in new Spring shades as well as black. The jaunty Balmacaan & the new three-quarter length models with the sloping shoulders, deep armholes & loose sleeves are given splendid showing—Coats are unequaled at..... **$12.75**

Apparel Section, Third Floor

Sale of Three-Initial Monogram Stationery
Tomorrow we begin the sale of an extra quality lawn finished Stationery stamped with a two or three letter monogram in various styles, samples of which we show in our Stationery Department. If these dies were made to your order we should have to charge $2.50 to $3—in this sale, regardless of the combination of letters—not over three—we will monogram 1 quire of paper with envelopes to match for..... **48c**
Stamping will be done in gold, silver or colors.
Main Floor, Aisle 10.

Silks & Dress Goods

Striped Crepe
Silk Crepe Shirting, white with narrow colored stripes, 36 inches wide for Women's Shirts, yard, **59c.**

Colored Messaline
More than 100 shades of splendid soft, 36-inch Messaline, at yard, **$1.**

Canton Crepe
36-inch plain & printed Canton Crepe de Chine, in Spring's newest colors, yard, **$1.50.**
Main Floor, Aisle 1.

Black Mohair
Silk finished, pure mohair, Black Brilliantine, 44 inches wide, Tuesday, special, yard, **75c.**

Shepherd Checks
54-inch black and white Shepherd Checks with a thread of color here & there, very stylish, Tuesday, yard, **$1.48.**
Main Floor, Aisle 1.

French Madras & Percales at 12½c Yard
32 & 36-inch widths, beautiful silky finish, in neat stripes, checks & woven designs, for shirts, shirt waists & children's wear, mill cuts 3 to 10 yards, Tuesday, yard..... **12½c**

Half-Silk Crepes, 39c
Half-silk Crepes, in neat floral designs, light medium & dark grounds, Tuesday, yard..... **39c**

Cotton Voiles, 25c
40-inch plain & figured Voiles, in neat patterns, Tuesday, yard. **25c**

Longcloth, 93c Bolt
Soft finish, snowy white, 36 inches wide, put up in 10-yd. bolts, Tuesday, bolt..... **93c**

24-Inch Diaper Cloth, 88c
Best quality, Red Star Brand, 24 inches wide, in sealed packages of 10 yards each, soft fleece, just two cases to offer at mill price, bolt..... **88c**
Basement Gallery

Take Inventory of Curtain Needs & Profit the Savings in

This March Sale of Lace Curtains

In point of selection, in range of patterns, in the notable saving chances, & in the spirited buying—it is a sale occasion unrivaled. Thousands of beautiful new Spring patterns have a fourth to a half subtracted from their rightful prices in this helpful Spring event which is of first service in brightening & making gladder many homes. Has its helpfulness been felt in your home? Here are inducements:

Spring Curtains at $1.00 Pair
With 60 new designs to choose from in heavy 4-ply French cable net, madras, novelty scrim & Arabian novelty Lace Curtains, in all colors—surely satisfactory choosing is here.

Spring Curtains at $1.50 Pair
A hundred artistic new patterns in Brussels net, point d'esprit, French cable net, novelty scrim, Arabian novelty & real handmade Lace Curtains, all colors.

Spring Curtains at $2.00 Pair
Seventy-five beautiful designs in art filet, Brussels & French cable net, real handmade & imported novelty Lace Curtains, all colors.

Spring Curtains at $3.00 Pair
Fifty handsome new designs in Saxony, Egyptian, French guipure, Brussels & French cable net, also real handmade Lace Curtains, all colors.

Spring Curtains at $4.50 Pair
Genuine handmade Cluny, Arabian, Marie Antoinette, Rococco & Irish point Lace Curtains, deep, handmade laces, openwork & Spachtel designs, all colors.
Fourth Floor

Notable Are the Savings in the

Spring Sale of Silk Hosiery

It is an annual occasion well timed to when the Spring & Easter outfits are being chosen, with savings of a fourth to a third & sometimes more.

Women's "Surety" Hose, 55c
Seconds of our $1 quality—pure thread silk with lisle garter tops, the slight defects will not affect the wear of hose.

Women's Pure Silk Hose, 73c
Full fashioned silk, with double garter tops, double soles & toes & high spliced heels; black & colors.

Women's Silk Hose, 27c
Broken stock lots, samples, slight mill irregulars, etc.; full fashioned boot style, allover fiber & silk thread hose, with lisle tops, seamless with double soles & toes; black & colors.

Women's Fiber Silk Hose, 23c
Seamless, fiber boot silk, black or white, mill runs; will give excellent service.

Children's Silk-Plated Hose, 25c
Seamless, fine ribbed, black, white, red & tan.

Men's Pure Silk Hose, 68c
About ⅓ Off Regular Price
Full fashioned, pure silk, with silk ribbed cuffs; black & colors.

Men's Fashioned Silk Hose, 50c
Full fashioned silk, with silk clocking; black & colors; one-third less than regular worth.

Men's Novelty Silk Hose, 37c
Splendid quality, seamless silk, variety of beautiful novelties of the latest styles; 50c to 65c qualities.

Men's Pure Silk Hose, 24c
Seamless style, in black & solid colors. Main Floor, Aisles 6-7-8 & Bargain Squares.

The Far-Reaching Effect of This Sale of

All Floor Samples of Furniture at 20%, 25% & 33⅓% Off

—is being felt in many a home, some of which have been entirely outfitted, others made more livable by the purchase of some pieces for various rooms. Not a piece in this great stock is exempt from the sale discounts. The latest ideas from best makers in

Bedroom Furniture	Dining Room Sets
Living Room Sets	Hall Furniture
Library Furniture	Overstuffed Pieces
Sun Parlor Furniture	Den Furniture

Odd Pieces

are involved, the various pieces having blue tags naming the discount which applies & which is subtracted at the time of purchase. Arrangements for deferred payments can be made.
Fourth Floor

This Early Season Sale of

Refrigerators and Gas Stoves

Brings to purchasers best known make articles at very interesting prices.

Automatic Refrigerators
White enamel lined, sanitary, side icing style, golden oak finish, great ice savers & known for high efficiency—

60-lb. ice capacity..... $21.50
75-lb. ice capacity..... $23.50
100-lb. ice capacity..... $25.50
120-lb. ice capacity..... $30.50

Bridge & Beach Gas Ranges
Black enamel sanitary Gas Ranges with all the modern improvements. These Ranges are ideal bakers & come in a wide range of styles—priced at **$19** to **$48.**

"Never Break" Gas Ranges
Blue enamel, sanitary Gas Ranges with enamel-lined ovens, trimmed with highly-polished nickel—priced at **$39.50** to **$57.50.**
Basement Salesroom

Unrivaled Selection & Values Here in

Spring & Easter Suits for the Boys



A great daylight Boys' Store with vast assortments of Suits from the country's foremost specialists in boys' clothing is here for choosing.

Boys have come to regard this store as the best one for the distinctive sort of clothes they wish, & mothers know it as the place to outfit the lads in dependable clothes at least cost.

In CONFIRMATION SUITS there's an especially good line of guaranteed worsted, fast color serge suits, in newest Norfolk styles, sizes 6 to 18 years, extra good values at

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Academy Clothes at $8.50 to $16
Little aristocrats they are, tailored in a distinctive way, in styles that have first sanction, made of imported & domestic fabrics—sizes 8 to 18 years, priced **$8.50 to $16.**
Boys' Clothing Section, Second Floor

Going to the Suburbs?

Are you partial to
Cottages with large porches,
Bungalows with roomy yards,
Gardens and fruit trees?

Whether you want to **Buy** or **Rent**
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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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Testimony From One Who Knows

Post-Dispatch:
Permit me to also say that I am very much pleased with your service, and, in fact, you have the best advertising paper I know of for results for the price.
N. L. ARNOLD, Shirley, Ark.

St. Louis' ONE BIG Want Medium

ROOSEVELT PARTY LOSES OUTFIT IN BRAZILIAN RAPIDS

Message From Fiala Tells Wife He's Safe and It Is Thought All Escaped.

ON UNEXPLORED RIVER

Specimens of Previous South American Research, However, Are Believed Intact.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt's family and friends were anxiously awaiting further advices today regarding the accident by which his party lost its entire equipment in the rapids of a Brazilian river.

While it was said no concern is felt for the safety of the former President, it was desired to learn just how and when the accident occurred and whether the expedition would be abandoned, especially as the party was so far from a base where new equipment could be acquired.

The news of the mishap came in a brief cablogram to the New York Times from Anthony Fiala, a member of the party. It was dated at Santarem, Brazil, yesterday, and read:

"We have lost everything in the rapids. Telephone my wife of my safety."

Santarem is in the State of Para at the confluence of the Tapajas River with the Amazon, and the dispatch probably was sent there by courier.

The accident, in all probability, occurred on an unknown river, which Theodore Roosevelt Jr., today said his father, in a letter to him, had called the Rio Duivata or "River of Doubt."

Told of Projected Trip.

Col. Roosevelt, in a letter written on Jan. 16, from Tapirapoan, in Matto Grosso, a province in the South Central part of Brazil and received last week by Frank M. Chapman of the American Museum of Natural History, said he expected to explore this unknown river. He wrote:

"We are now about to go into the real wilderness where we shall have to travel light and hardly can collect any big animals.

"In a month or six weeks we shall reach the headwaters of an unexplored river. If my health continues good, as I expect, I think it possible I will go down this river to try and learn where it comes out, taking Kermit, Fiala and Cherrie with me, as well as Col. Rondon and one or two of the Brazilians.

"Meanwhile, the rest of the party, including Miller, will go straight to Madeira and come down that to Manaos. Miller will then collect around Manaos or elsewhere until Kermit, Cherrie and I turn up. It is not possible to give a forecast as to the time that will be required."

First Stage on Horseback.

The headwaters of the unknown river, which Col. Rondon once crossed, according to Col. Roosevelt's letters, are in Matto Grosso, between the Madeira and Tapajos rivers, two large streams which flow northward to join the Amazon.

What the equipment of Col. Roosevelt's party was to make the trip down this unknown river is largely a matter of conjecture.

After leaving the upper Parana and Paraguay rivers, which flow southward and join the Rio de la Plata, the party had to traverse the plateau extending through Paraguay and Brazil, a trip of 500 miles or more. This the party did safely on horseback, according to telegraph advices which came through nine days ago.

Col. Roosevelt does not say in any of his letters what means of transportation he would use in descending the unknown river. It is believed nothing heavier than canoes could have been carried on the 500-mile journey on horseback from the headwaters of the Paraguay to the "River of Doubt."

Rivers Have Many Rapids.

The great danger in descending the streams that flow northward in Brazil to join the Amazon is in the many rapids and falls. The plateau, which is on the average 3000 to 4000 feet above the sea level, slopes abruptly to the floor of the Amazon valley. For this reason some of the greatest waterfalls in the world are found in these tributaries.

It is possible that after the expedition lost the equipment, the members continued on down stream on rafts or on foot. It is probable that their journey took them to the Tapajos and that some members of the party went on down the river to Santarem or sent a messenger ahead to that place.

The specimens of natural history collected by the party on its trip up the Parana and Paraguay rivers are safe, it is understood here, as the Colonel had indicated he would ship them before he entered the Brazilian wilds.

Latest Specimens Believed Lost.

The loss in the rapids outside of food, arms, camp material and instruments, undoubtedly included the birds and animals killed and photographs taken from the time the party started on the horseback trip over the plateau.

Col. Roosevelt, according to his plans, is expected to arrive at Manaos next month. From there he was to start for Madrid to attend the marriage of his son, Kermit, to Miss Belle Willard, daughter of the American Ambassador.

Nominated for New York Appraiser.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Senator O'Gorman of New York announced yesterday he had recommended to the President the appointment of John K. Hague, former Mayor of Poughkeepsie, for Appraiser of the port of New York.

Woman Who Prayed for a Baby and Answer to Her Prayers



MRS. ELIZABETH ELMS and BABY "BILLY."

OKLAHOMA, THE BIGGEST WARSHIP, IS LAUNCHED

Daughter of Gov. Lee Cruce Christens Craft at Camden (N. J.) Yards.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—The superdreadnought Oklahoma, one of the largest and most powerful American battleships afloat, was launched today from the yard of the New York Shipbuilding Co. at Camden, N. J., in the presence of a large number of invited guests.

The giant sea fighter was given her name by Miss Lorena Jane Cruce, daughter of the Governor of Oklahoma, who broke a bottle of champagne against the great prow of the ship as the hull began to glide into the Delaware River.

Miss Cruce, carrying a large bunch of American beauty roses, was surrounded by a dozen girl friends from Oklahoma and there was much enthusiasm as the ship took the water.

Gov. Cruce of Oklahoma was expected, but he was detained at home on account of political conditions in his State.

A sister ship, the Nevada, is being constructed at Quincy, Mass. Only the Pennsylvania, building at Newport News, and the nameless battleship No. 39, the keel of which was laid last week at the New York navy yard, will outstrip the Oklahoma in tonnage, displacement, length and power guns.

The length of the Oklahoma is 583 feet and her displacement will be 27,500 tons, or 500 tons greater than the next largest American fighting ship.

In both armament and armor the Oklahoma will be far ahead of other American ships. Her principal weapons will be ten 14-inch guns, capable of firing a shell weighing 1400 pounds.

A feature of the armament will be the placing of three of these great guns in one turret. One of the three gun turrets will be on the forecastle deck along with a turret of two big guns. Another two-gun turret will be on the quarter deck and astern of this will be another turret with the remaining three 14-inch guns.

About the big warship also will be distributed 21 five-inch guns and some three-pounders, one-pounders, three-inch field pieces and machine guns.

The armor belt is 13½ inches thick and will extend 400 feet along each side of the hull from eight and one-half feet below the water line to nine feet above the water. There are two protective decks to guard against plunging fire, one three inches thick and the other of one and one-half inches.

STOPS BACKACHE: LUMBAGO; RUB IT

Rub away Pain, Soreness, Stiffness, Sciatica, with St. Jacobs Oil.

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.—ADV.

SON OPPOSES HIS MOTHER AT HEARING ON SALOON LICENSE

Anderson Revokes Permit of A. W. Hawks on Plea of Aged Woman.

The saloon license of A. W. Hawks of 2632 Marcus avenue was revoked Monday by Excise Commissioner Anderson after he had heard the testimony of Mrs. E. H. Robarts of 4836 Branconier avenue, who complained Hawks refused to stop selling liquor to her son, Benjamin, whose craving for drink, she said, had caused him to neglect his wife and three young children.

Mrs. Robart testified she asked Hawks not to sell her son liquor, after all other saloon men in the neighborhood had granted her request. She said Hawks refused, saying it was none of her business, and that Benjamin's wife was the proper person to make complaint.

She said her son was 31 years old, lived at 4808 Leduc street and had a position as repairer at a jewelry store.

Hawks had Benjamin Robart take the witness stand for the defense. Robart testified he drank only beer and never became intoxicated. He said his drinking had no bad effect on him. Turning to his mother, he said: "Don't you know you're taking money from a poor and honest man in trying to have his license revoked?"

"If I am," the white-haired woman replied, "it is only to protect your sweet young wife and her children and to prevent them from starving. I came here to get justice, not to have the license revoked."

Excise Commissioner Anderson found that only three days' notice of trial had been given Hawks, whereas five days is customary. He issued a citation setting the case for March 30, saying the license would nevertheless stand revoked unless at that time evidence were offered to change his decision.

Patrolman Fred Jecklin Dead.

Patrolman Fred Jecklin of the Angelica Street District died at his home, 4332 Blair avenue, about 6:30 a. m. Monday of apoplexy. He was 48 years old and would have completed his sixteenth year of service April 3.

DELICATE CHILD

Made Strong and Healthy by Vinol.

Growing children play hard and work hard at school, which with rapid growth uses up an enormous amount of energy and vitality that must be replaced.

When a child is tired all the time, no appetite, weak, delicate and sickly we guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, will build them up, create a hearty appetite, good flesh and muscle tissue, pure, healthy blood, and make them strong.

Mrs. L. L. Bertrand, New Iberia, La., says: "My little one was weak and run-down in health, and was continually taking cold. Different medicines failed to help, but when Vinol was recommended I found it a wonderful help to my child. It broke up the cold, and quickly restored health and strength. Vinol is a most excellent tonic for children."

If Vinol fails to do just what we say, we will give back your money.

Chester Kent & Co., Chemists.

For sale by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., St. Louis, Mo.

P. S. For any skin trouble try our Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.

PRAYS FOR YEARS FOR BABY; FINDS ONE ON HER STEP

Mrs. Elizabeth Elms Names Boy "Garrison," After Street on Which She Lives.

HE IS 8 MONTHS OLD

Child Left at Widow's Door Dressed in Hand-Made Clothing of Fine Quality.

Mrs. Elizabeth Elms, a widow, 45 years old, of 718 North Garrison avenue, believes that prayers which she has offered up daily for many years were answered when she found a baby on her doorstep.

"It shows the efficacy of prayer," she said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday: "At times my faith faltered and I would think it was no use to pray, but at last my pleading was rewarded.

Mrs. Elms heard a ring at her doorbell at 8 p. m. Saturday. When she opened the door she found a blanket-wrapped bundle. Carrying it in to the light she found it was a boy about 8 months old.

Names Him "Billy Garrison."

"I have named him Billy Garrison Elms," said Mrs. Elms. "The 'Billy' is for Mr. Billy Jones, one of the roomers here who also heard the bell ring and arrived at the door at the same time I did. He picked the dear little fellow up and handed him to me. Some of the married ladies in the house thought it would be nice to name him for the street on which we live. So I added the 'Garrison' to his name."

Mrs. Elms had two children, but both died in infancy. Since then, she says, her constant prayer has been that in some providential way she might find a child to be the object of her maternal affection.

Clothing of Fine Quality.

Little "Billy" has light hair and blue eyes. There is a small birthmark on the knuckles of his right hand and another on the back of his neck, which may serve to identify him.

When found he was wrapped in a blue blanket with pictures of Teddy bears on darker blue for a pattern. His clothing was of fine quality and handmade.

GARAGE EMPLOYE, 16, HELD AS A JOY RIDER

Maurice Rothberg Accused of Driving Car 62 Miles Without Owner's Consent.

When Maurice Rochberg, 16 years old, of 5709 Vernon avenue, drove into the garage at 5881 Delmar boulevard at 1 a. m. Monday with the electric coupe of Mrs. William Simpson, 470 Lake avenue, he was turned over to the police as a joy rider. It was charged he had driven the Simpson car 62 miles without the owner's consent.

Mrs. Simpson telephoned the garage Sunday to call for her machine and repair it. She said she had the key in her apartment. An hour later, no one having called for the key, she was surprised to find her coupe had disappeared. She notified the garage and a watch was kept for Rochberg, an employe, who had been sent for the car.

Rochberg said the machine had broken down at Union and Lindell boulevards and that it had taken him several hours to repair it. The speedometer, however, showed it had traveled the 62 miles. Rochberg was later turned over to his brother, David Rochberg, an attorney, who promised to produce him in Juvenile Court.

$6 TOLEDO AND RETURN $6

March 27, via Clover Leaf Route.

Would Move Democratic Headquarters

CHICAGO, March 23.—A plan to transfer the headquarters of the National Democratic Congressional Committee from Washington to this city is under consideration by some members of the committee, according to Charles E. Boeschenstein, Illinois member of the National Democratic Committee, who has returned from Washington.

GEORGE: I doubted your love, but I know it's true since you bought me that diamond from Loftis Bros. on credit. 308 N. 6th st.

WOMAN MYSTERIOUSLY POISONED IN A HOTEL

She Is Found Unconscious in Chicago From Opiate; Husband Hurrrying to Her.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Explanation of the mysterious poisoning of a woman who is in a hospital here will be sought today by the police on the arrival of R. D. Widney, who notified the hospital that Vera Lyons, found unconscious in a downtown hotel, was his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Widney were registered as from Seattle. Widney left the hotel Saturday, paying the bill for another day. Sunday a telephone call from the hotel to a friend of the woman led to the discovery of her condition and her removal to a hospital.

Physicians said the woman was suffering from an opiate. She has not been able to tell any of the circumstances surrounding the taking of the poison and the police do not know whether she took it intentionally. Her recovery is doubtful. Widney telegraphed to the hospital from Kansas City that he would reach here today.

For Rheumatism, Elmer & Amend's N. Y. 2851 gives relief. Why suffer when this relieves you? Reliable druggists carry it.

CREWLESS SHIP, WIND AT HELM, IS FOUND AT SEA

All Is Sound Except Shattered Foremast and Smashed Stools; Table Set for Meal.

BOSTON, March 23.—With her cabin table all set for dinner, as if her crew had left a hearty meal to abandon her, the schooner Pioneer of Boston was found cruising, with no one on board, off Wood's Hole today.

Riding high in the seas, with nothing to indicate why she should have been deserted except a shattered foremast and some water in the hold, which might have washed down the hatches, the vessel presented a mystery of the sea.

What became of the schooner's crew was a question that men well versed in water-front affairs were unable to answer. No report of the wreck or abandonment of the Pioneer had ever been received in Boston, as far as could be learned. The only record of this missing crew was the name of one and the initials of others carved in the stump of the foremast. The full name was "John Anderson." The initials were "S E. R.," "H. M. P.," "M. A. P.," and "J. O. F."

Though still fit to ride the waves, the Pioneer, to judge by her condition, must have sailed unguided by man, a plaything of the wind and a menace to shipping, for weeks, or even months.

Her sides clear to the bulwarks were bearded with sea moss, yet everything in her tiny cabin looked as if the crew had just stepped ashore and might return any minute.

There were four stools in the cabin and these were smashed, though the crockery on the table and the shelves was uncracked, indicating that the broken stools were not the work of battering seas.

To Charles E. Harris of Boston, who sighted and boarded the schooner while sailing in his dory out of Wood's Hole, the picture presented was that of a sailors' living place deserted after a fierce fight, in which the stools had served as weapons.

Case of the Marie Celeste.

The case of the schooner is not unlike that of the Marie Celeste, which sailed from New York Oct. 7, 1873, and the fate of whose crew and the skipper's family never will be known. Dec. 4 of the same year the British brigantine Del Gratia found the brig midway between the Azores and Lisbon, scooting about like a headless chicken, under topstails, foresail, jib and top staysails, with yards squared. The gangway was unshipped, the fore hatch was lying bottom upward on the fore deck and the long boat and jolly boat were gone.

There was no trace of anyone on the vessel and none of those who shipped on it ever were heard from again. A naked cutlass lay on the cabin floor, stained and rusted. The last entry in the log was of Nov. 25, so that the brig must have sailed eight or nine days without a crew.

Making Money.

Everybody makes some money. A few learn to care for money and thus achieve success. The first step in learning to care for money is the opening of a savings account in the Mercantile Trust Co., Eighth and Locust streets. Mercantile savings accounts can be opened and deposits made by mail.

Morgenthau Goes to Egypt.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 23.—Henry Morgenthau, the American Ambassador to Turkey, has departed for a six weeks trip on the Nile. He will then proceed to Palestine and will be accompanied by a party of American missionaries in his tour of Syria.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.
For Bowel And Liver Troubles.

Toppling Train Kills 2, Injures 5.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 23.—D. D. Aisden, a fireman, and M. F. Pelance, a brakeman, both of Indianapolis, were killed and five other men injured when a Big Four freight train struck a derailing switch here last night and the engine and nine cars were overturned.

WELL-KNOWN BUTCHER AND OLD-TIME CITIZEN

Indorsement of Plant Juice Given by a Well-Known Man of This City.

Mr. F. G. Burkel, a well-known butcher, who lives at 3632 Hebert street here, says:

"I can indorse Plant Juice at any time and to anyone, for it has certainly done me a world of good. I have had stomach trouble for a long time and tried a good many things, but nothing helped me much until I began taking Plant Juice. I was also very nervous and it has helped my nerves also. I have taken only one bottle, but am feeling very much better in every way."

Plant Juice tones up and strengthens the nervous system, invigorates the entire body, removes all impurities from the blood, restores energy and vitality, tones up the digestive organs, puts the stomach into good condition, stimulates the liver into action, strengthens weak kidneys and soothes tired nerves. If you suffer with indigestion, sour stomach, gas or bloating, have no appetite, headaches, dizzy spells, spots before the eyes, do not sleep well, wake up in the mornings tired and worn out, with no energy or life, if you are bothered with kidney troubles or rheumatism, get a bottle of Plant Juice from the Wolff-Wilson Drug Store and give it a trial.—ADV.

BOY, WITH CRAZE FOR WAR STORIES, HANGS HIMSELF

John Wisniewski, 14-year-old son of Mrs. George Wisniewski of 1414 North Thirteenth street, at 3:30 p. m. Sunday hanged himself in the basement of his home with an improvised rope made of an umbrella cover. His mother discovered him dead.

Members of the family could assign no reason for the boy's act. F. Jarzanbowski, an uncle, living at the Wisniewski home, said the youth spent much of his time reading fiction and was obsessed with novels written about military exploits. He said the boy might have become morbid from reading war stories.

The youth was employed in the repair shop of the Namendorf Umbrella Co., 416 North Sixth street.

MAN WHO TALKED AND SANG WITHOUT A TONGUE IS DEAD

NEW YORK, March 23.—Thomas J. Maguire, veteran theatrical manager who talked and sang for 10 years without a tongue, has just died of cancer.

It was his love for cigars that brought about the loss of his tongue.

He smoked from 25 to 30 cigars almost every day for more than 20 years. Cancer of the tongue developed. An operation failed, and in March, 1904, Maguire greeted his friends for what he believed to be the last time and submitted to an operation in which practically the whole tongue was removed.

To the surprise of the surgeons the patient almost immediately after the operation showed signs of recovery and within four months he was being interviewed upon the sensations he was experiencing without a tongue. But then only the voice of the questioners sounded in the interviews. He wrote his answers with pencil and pen and ink.

Several months later Maguire discovered that his power of speech had not been destroyed. He often said that he found singing easier than talking. Maguire was born in San Francisco. He was 57 years old.

This spring many persons will move—into homes of their own found through the Post-Dispatch real estate columns.

John Ruskin cigar 5¢

All the qualities of the high-priced cigars are combined in the JOHN RUSKIN—expert workmanship, fragrant aroma, and the Havana tobacco used is the choicest grown.

Invest 5c. to-day to prove our statement—to-morrow you will buy them by the box.

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SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY:

Delmar Club Laundry Soap 9 Bars for 25c

Swifts Premium Breakfast Bacon Per lb. 26¼c

JOAN OF ARC KIDNEY BEANS: 9c per can, or 3 cans for 25c
DELMAR CLUB MUSTARD SARDINES: 3 cans for 25c
CODFISH STRIPS: per lb. 12c
FRESH VEGETABLE SEEDS: 2 packages for 5c
PRICE ROLLED OATS: this season's pack, 2 packages for 15c
TULIP BRAND PINK SALMON: ½-lb. cans; per can, 7c; or 3 cans 20c
DELMAR CLUB STRING BEANS: 3 cans for 35c
DELMAR CLUB CATSUP: made from red, ripe tomatoes; 20c value; per bottle 16c
BOOTH'S DELICIOUS CALIFORNIA SARDINES: come in soused mustard and tomatoes; per can 19c
FANCY SMOKED SALMON: nice for sandwiches or salad; per pound 35c
FANCY CERVELAT SAUSAGE: highly spiced; special, per lb. 25c
ALPENROSE CAMEMBERT RIPE CHEESE: imported from Germany; per can 35c
IMPORTED LIMBURG CHEESE: per lb. 22c
No. 2 CANS FREMONT FANCY KIDNEY BEANS: something nice for lunches; per can 7c
JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF TAG BLOATER: each 5c, or 6 for 25c
FINS EXTRA FINE BELGIUM PEAS: per can 15c
FRANCO-AMERICAN SPAGHETTI: 2 cans for 15c
DON CARLOS IMPORTED SARDINES: in pure olive oil; 2 cans for 25c

SPECIALS IN OUR LIQUOR DEPARTMENT:

FINEST CALIFORNIA TOKAY WINE: per gallon $1.75
BLACKBERRY BRANDY: per bottle 45c
PEACH BRANDY: per bottle 48c
CUMBERLAND RYE WHISKY: per quart bottle 69c
ELKWOOD BLEND WHISKY: per gallon $1.90
CALIFORNIA BRANDY: special per bottle 90c
STEWART RYE: per quart bottle 95c
ROCK GLEN WHISKY: per quart bottle 69c

PICKET GUARD SMOKING TOBACCO, 1-lb. package for 16c

Watch Thursday's Post-Dispatch for our ad. Prices will interest you.

Colonist Excursions to California Arizona

March 15-April 15

These spring Colonist excursions offer very low railroad and sleeper fares, with the excellent service provided by Santa Fe trains. Tourist sleepers—personally conducted three days a week—furnish sleeping-car comforts for one-half the usual Pullman charge.

The time en route only three days, if you take the Fast Mail.

Why not go and buy that California or Arizona farm? Write to C. L. Seagraves, General Colonization Agent, 230 Railway Exchange, Chicago, for Arizona and San Joaquin Valley booklets—they are free.

Santa Fe

Geo. C. Chambers, G. A., 209 N. 7th St., St. Louis, Mo.

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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Lesson of M. A. C. Disaster.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Now that the horrible catastrophe has come to pass and blighting memories obsess the loved ones who remain to linger and think of the unfortunate victims of this recent calamity, it is requisite that we pause to consider the lesson which it should teach.

Men flout the idea of dangers which they know to exist, and being lacking in resolution will take the chance of death, pestilence or destruction, rather than remove the cause. There are men by the hundreds in our midst today who know that the buildings occupied by them are not safe, that they violate the laws of safety, yet they will not make them safe. For money, for one cause or another, or for no cause, save inconvenience threatening menaces will be allowed to hover above them daily. Doubtless if the victims of the fire had been warned of the consequence of that fateful night, they would have failed to heed the warning. We are constantly warned and admonished of the dangers and consequences of life, but in the hurly-burly of the tumult, we do not heed, we will not heed, nor do we pause to consider the inevitable.

If this spectacle that is still before us brings us to our senses and enables every man to do his duty as he knows it with a fixed and resolute determination, the dead will not have died in vain. WARREN McGINNIS.

Two New Meats.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Cattelo, a new meat, from the crossing of the cow and buffalo, is announced. As horse meat is now largely consumed why not have the horse and ass cross-meat, muelo? Some of us at times ate mule meat in the Civil War. VET.

Education of Crippled Children.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I have read with interest your editorial of the 18th on "St. Louis' Crippled Children," and am in hearty accord with the sentiments expressed therein. I have already written to the States of Kansas, Minnesota, New York, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Florida and Maryland, inquiring of those States about what arrangements they have made in reference to educating the crippled children.

I am very anxious to assist those unfortunate children in their education and also in remedying their affliction, and I anxiously await replies from the aforementioned States.

MICHAEL KINNEY,
Member State Wage Commission for Women and Children.

A Plea for Segregation.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I agree with Mr. Charles P. Johnson in his remarks to the Business Men's League as to a segregated district. To me this question is more important than having the bridge finished.

Have a segregated district so clearly outlined that all who enter may know they risk coming out as "damaged goods." And have the police keep the girls from other cities away from this district.

I do hope the people will take this matter up and not wait too long, as you are liable to have neighbors that will lead your children away by their flattery. People of that stripe do not hesitate to tell a lie to agent or owner if they want a room, flat, apartment or house.

Find out who has come into your neighborhood recently. A MOTHER.

Asking Questions.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

How promptly Mrs. B. answered suffrage questions on Broadway! But what dense ignorance was shown by the questioners! It does not seem possible that newspapers can be circulating every day when such questions are asked. Certainly such questioners cannot be readers. Are they fit for citizenship? OLD VOTER.

Suggestion for Charter Framers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please permit a humble citizen through the columns of your valuable paper to make a suggestion to the Board of Freeholders now forming a new charter.

If we are to have in the new charter the initiative, the referendum and the recall, I think it would be wise to make the term of officeholding longer than it is at present, thereby saving half the expense, agitation and excitement caused by out municipal elections.

If we have a good Mayor eight years is not too long. If he does not prove to be a good Mayor we can recall him at any time. The same rule will apply to all other elective offices.

A. B. CORWIN.

ACTION FOR BRIDGE BONDS.

Four members of the House of Delegates, who favor the A. & M. approach and have acted with the A. & M. combine, have declared that they will vote to submit the bond issue for the city's approach in response to the initiative petition. These members who prove their good judgment and sense of duty as public servants are Delegates Deffaa of the Seventh, Ebrecht of the Eleventh, Groeschel of the Twenty-fourth and Stuart of the Twenty-seventh wards.

"I do not see any reason for compelling two elections," said Delegate Deffaa. "I am not for any monkey business with the initiative petition," said Delegate Ebrecht.

Delegate Groeschel said he would vote for one election to save money, and Delegate Stuart said he was convinced his constituents desired the bond issue submitted.

The whole case for the single bond election is summed up in these remarks. Nearly one-half of the voters of the city—the number will probably reach 60,000—have petitioned for the submission of bond issue. There is not the slightest doubt that the question of submitting the bonds will be carried should it be forced to a vote. The only question is whether the city shall be put to the unnecessary expenditure of $60,000 by holding two elections.

Obstruction under these circumstances is the worst kind—it is wanton obstruction. It combines defiance of the public will by ignoring a petition of 60,000 voters and indifference to the public interest by forcing the city to bear an unnecessary expenditure of $60,000.

Delegates McCarthy and Gallagher, who are trying to hold the A. & M. combine together for wanton obstruction may be joined to their idols, but it seems incredible that they can whip 13 other Delegates into doing their will.

Surely there are 15 members of the House of Delegates who will stand for the people against the lobby combine—who are independent of the A. & M. lobbyists.

In the Council, where there is a majority in favor of the bond issue for the city's approach, a bill submitting the bond issue in the wording of the initiative petition should be introduced and passed. It would be a graceful act for Dr. Fletcher who has said he would yield to an initiative petition, to introduce the measure.

It would be a graceful act for Delegate Deffaa, or Delegate Ebrecht, or Delegate Groeschel, or Delegate Stuart—one of the four Delegates who have declared their intention to yield to the initiative petition—to introduce a similar bill in the House.

Prompt action is the order. The people want to vote for bridge completion.

PAYING A HIGH PRICE.

Minister Vopicka's grotesque exhibition of Chicago diplomacy in the Balkan capitals once more raises the doubt whether Secretary Bryan's undoubted public services really entitled him to claim, as a reward, that he be allowed to dismiss trained diplomatic servants of the country and replace them with his undisciplined personal adherents.

The blood stains on the coal are increasing. Men killed in the mines last year numbered 2705, or 425 more than in 1912.

HEROES IN OVERALLS.

A writer calls attention to the daring work of the men who have daily risked their lives clearing up the M. A. C. ruin, seeking for the dead or tearing away timbers and debris to save the injured, while tottering walls menaced from above. He asks why, when credit is given the Fire Chief and the Building Commissioner, these men in overalls should be overlooked.

They are not forgotten. Neither are the brave firemen, salvage men, policemen, doctors, priests, reporters, photographers and others who have faced death every day since the fire took place. All these were, of course, doing their duty, and in most cases, for pay. But the least as well as the most prominent is deserving of honor. There has been no instance of shirking or cowardice, but many stories of simple heroism have been told about colored laborers. St. Louis is proud of all these brave men.

Constantinople has been kicking its persistent type of houn' dawgs around ever since the Young Turks got in, but with results so small that it offers a bounty of 20 cents for the tail of every houn' dawg killed.

SENATOR TILLMAN, CHAMPION KICKER.

With his old but still trusty pitchfork before which the living have fled, Senator Tillman is now keeping death at bay. He has referred before in the Senate chamber to his new manual of arms for the fearsome weapon, but last week he turned the apartment into an amphitheater and held a clinic on himself. "Constitution" took on meanings strange to ordinary Senate usages, especially when Mr. Bailey used to be there. Physic for the body politic was thrown to the dogs while Mr. Tillman talked about remedies for a body in which he is a good deal more interested. His political career began with the dispensary system for thirsty South Carolinians. It is ending with the dispensation of hygienic verities for all infirm humanity.

Kicking himself while lying down is the great feature in the Tillman physical culture. How he manages the thing is mystifying, but the important point is that there is kicking in it and that it delivers the goods. Senator Tillman always was some kicker. Does history record another such champion? He kicked his way into the State house. He kicked his way into Congress. At present he is kicking himself into good health, and getting results, just as he always used to.

After all, his confession of 66 years leaves him only a boy. What the country wants to know is the regimen that keeps Uncle Joe Cannon, aged 78, in such unvarying and supple form since he quit the healthful and invigorating exercise of gavel swinging in the House. Does he have an unofficial, unemblematic gavel which he now swings over a phantom Congress just for exercise or perhaps from habit?

The daughter of the Carrancista who consented to marry a Lieutenant on the Huertista gunboat Tampico only on condition that he turn the vessel over to the rebel cause, introduces an ominous new factor into the international armament race.

THE TORY REBELLION.

The aristocratic Unionist officers of the British Army who refuse to obey the governmental order to protect the empire against Unionist rebellion in Ulster, strike as deadly a blow to their cherished ideals of militarism as the humblest soldier of France who declines to shoot down his fellow workingmen. They uphold the theory that political conviction and social sympathies are superior to military duty.

What will the autocratic Tory officer say to the common soldier when the latter acts on his political conviction or social sympathy contrary to orders? Of what use is an army which thinks instead of obeying to a government of force? When soldiers rebel the Government falls.

Is British militarism slain in its own house?

The part of the Mississippi played by a man named Murphy in the St. Louis Pageant is a concession to the unities indicating that our national river is a stream of some temperament.

MR. WILSON'S PRESS CLUB SPEECH.

In his speech at the National Capital Press Club, the President first told us about Mr. Wilson as others see him. Then he told us about Mr. Wilson as Mr. Wilson himself sees him, and compared Mr. Wilson as others see him with Mr. Wilson as Mr. Wilson sees him.

He professed not to be conscious "of having any detachable apparatus inside of me," but to do all this he really must have something of the sort—something that is at least easily adjustable to all angles and capable of being adapted to extraordinary arcs of perspective.

What he said had a savor of humor to be found only in the utterances of genuine philosophers. It pleases us because we know so little about presidential human nature and Mr. Wilson convinces us he thinks in just about the same terms you or I would think in, if you or I were President.

As the governmental deus ex machina, he "can hardly refrain now and again from tipping us the wink" to remind us that after all it is only a Mr. Wilson inside this thing—a Mr. Wilson who is enormously deferred to, who causes everybody else to stand until he sits down, who is "personally conducted to beat the band" whenever he goes out to see anything interesting, but still only the Mr. Wilson with whom Mr. Wilson has lived so long and whom he knows so much better than anyone else. No doubt other Presidents, possibly even Washington, and certainly Lincoln, have also been tempted to "tip the wink."

Probably no one who reads this speech will ever think of Mr. Wilson again as a dispassionate schoolmaster who brings to his duties a thinking machine and very little of the wealth of a richly endowed emotional nature. It assists in humanizing not only Mr. Wilson, but the presidency itself, which, like some of its greatest incumbents, has been in danger of being denatured and becoming only an abstraction, a legend.

Lieut. Malpica of the Mexican navy and Charles J. Vopicka, our Minister to the Balkans, broke into front page pica type on the same day.

GENTLEMANLY ENGLISH JOURNALISM.

It was once, and may still be, a habit of some British journalists to deride American newspapers for want of a world view, of literary excellence and of urbanity. How well this lofty attitude is justified, how much superior the English manner is, may be learned by gleaning the pages of representative English journals. Let us take, for example, the March number of the National Review, the leading Tory monthly, advocate and defender of the interests of the British aristocracy. Here, certainly, we shall find in finest flower that breadth of vision, that literary polish and that urbanity which is presumed to characterize the intercourse of gentlemen. From the Review's "Episodes of the Month," written by its distinguished editor, L. J. Maxse, Esq., we cull this bouquet of exquisitely courteous allusions to the Review's political opponents:

"The Molly Maguire vote"—meaning the Irish home rulers.

"The Government of snobbery, jobbery and robbery"—meaning the British Liberal Government, in which Mr. Asquith is Prime Minister.

"Mr. Asquith's groveling apology after Mr. Gulland's cowardly attempt."

"The dirty tricks which form the stock in trade of the new Radicalism."

"The Opposition should long since have demanded the impeachment of Mr. Asquith for the traitor that he is."

"Not one honest man imagined that Home Rule would bring either peace or prosperity to Ireland."

"Artful Dodgers, Dundee Windbags, Callous Cynics, and the rest of the posse comitatus who make up the great Ministry of Mendacity and Mountebanks."

"Not seeking fee or reward—considerations which alone stimulate Asquith activities."

"Those salaries which play a dominating part in the lives of 'Nuts.'"

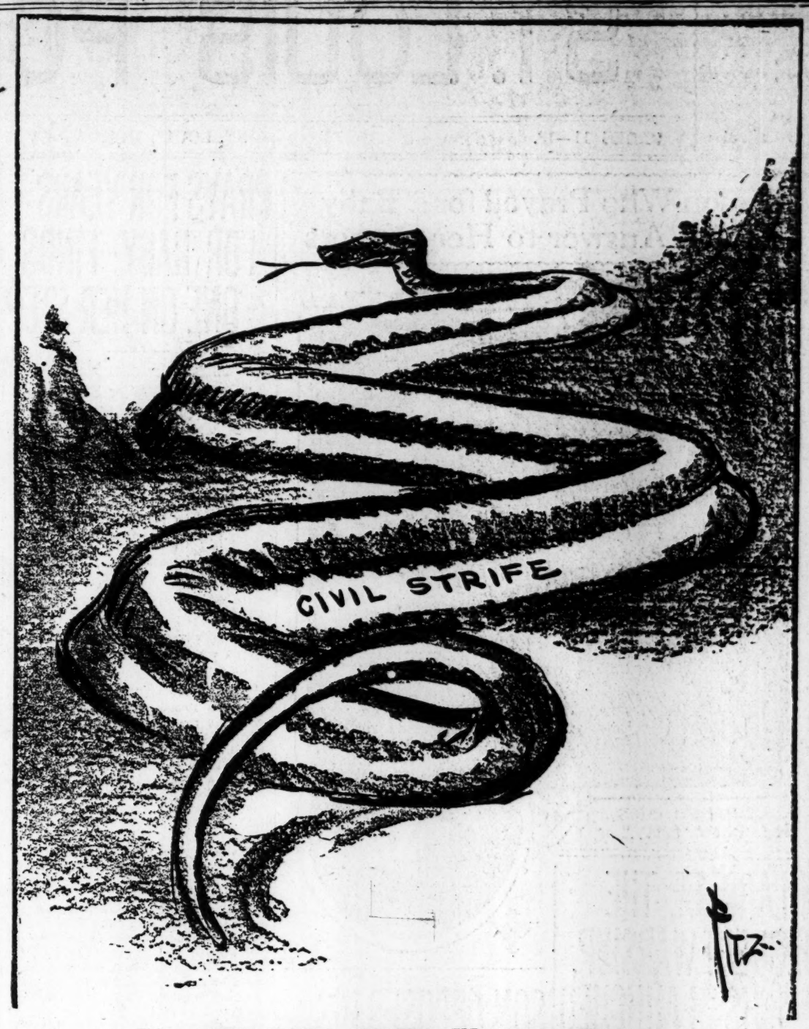
"The only accurate description of the present regime—Government by Blackmail."

"Merely one of those dirty tricks with which the name of Asquith will for all time be associated."

It is very discouraging to reflect upon how many centuries it has taken our British cousins to attain this extraordinary altitude, and then to remember how very young we are on this side of the water.

In studying great national questions, Mr. Wilson says he avails himself of "all the brains that are borrowable," wherein he differs from one of his late predecessors, whose personal equipment of brains not only sufficed for governmental problems, but for most of the private problems of his fellow citizens.

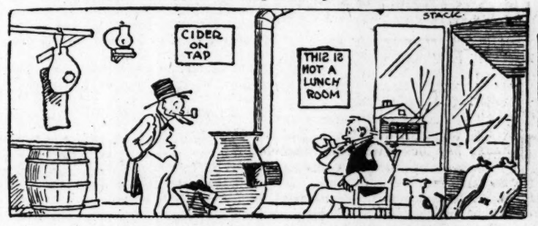
If the less representative Senate voted 35 to 34 in favor of woman suffrage, what would be the vote in the more responsive House?



THE LAST SNAKE IN IRELAND.

JUST A MINUTE.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.



MR. ANTWINE ON THE BATTLE OF TORREON.

"If Gen. Villa cares to have our recognition of him continue, he will have to win the battle of Torreon," Mr. Antwine said. "If he wins that battle, our recognition of him will continue right on through to the City of Mexico, but if he loses we will have to cast about for somebody who can get there. The first thing we know Huerta will die of old age in the presidency, which will amuse everybody watching the situation, and probably laugh us out of the case to let Europe settle it.

"There is some question about the strength of Torreon, but Villa has the advice of some of our best war correspondents, and he ought to go through it as if it was a paper hoop. If he loses, I don't know what we will do for somebody to take up the work where he left off. It is getting late in the season to sign good talent, and if we have to wait until fall it is probable that somebody's patience will bust. If I was the President I would open negotiations with Zapata, and try to have him in reserve. The Mexican people are very romantic politically, and they will follow a bandit with rings in his ears much more readily than they will follow a trained military man with his decorations confined to his chest. In the enthusiasm over Zapata they would as like as not forget Villa before Huerta could chase them across the Rio Grande, anyway. Meanwhile, let's all hope as hard as we can that Torreon falls."

PROSE POEM.

If this be Spring, I'll gladly sing the gloom of life without it; but ere I trust so much there must be no mistake about it. The weather man, if so he can, must give me his assurance, and all the signs that grace the lines must be of some endurance. In former years, despite my fears, I've blazed away unsearing; but oftentimes the changing climes have left me quite despairing. One time in two a blizzard blew to make me wish I'd waited; or singing, lo! a foot of snow blew in somewhat belated. My eager lyre is full of fire, but often has mistook her when gentle Spring has bade me sing; it is no fireless cooker. If this be she, then whoop-whoopee! but more than that, less fury shall be my fate, I think I'll wait; for I am from Missouri.

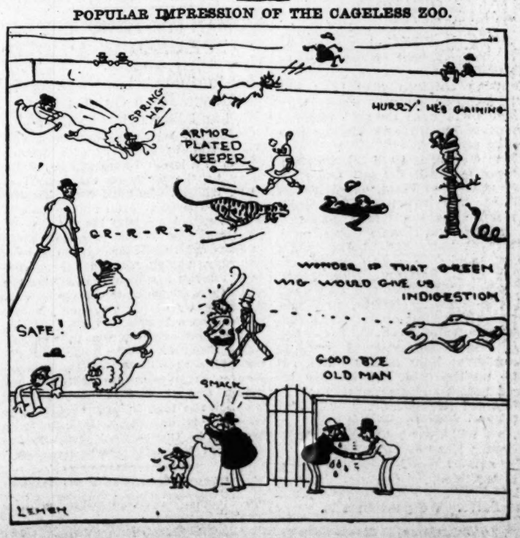
The ease with which the initiative has been invoked in the case of the free bridges illustrates what could probably be done in a bond election if we took the polls to the voters.

Mr. Joseph Lindon Smith says there will be a real mound burial in the Pageant. If he has not decided whom he will bury, we would like to make a few suggestions.

Anyway, the wives of our Cabinet officers don't shoot editors.

We missed the Federal reserve bank in the general showdown.

POPULAR IMPRESSION OF THE CAGELESS ZOO.



WIVES MAY SUE HUSBANDS.

From the Hartford Times.

There will be more than ordinary interest in the decision of the Supreme Court of Errors in the case of Elizabeth C. Brown against Thomas S. Brown, a Middlesex County case, which was handed down on Thursday afternoon. The opinion of the court was written by Judge Thayer. It marks a new development in the law relating to married people and it establishes, as the law of the State, that a wife has the right to sue her husband for personal injuries inflicted by him. Under the common law the wife had not that right.

Judge Thayer refers to the opinion of Judge Hamersley, written some time before he retired from the bench of the Supreme Court, in a case which involved the interpretation of the law of 1877. The opinion given by the Supreme Court follows the reasoning and the logic of Judge Hamersley, with the inevitable conclusion which is arrived at in the opinion written by Judge Thayer.

The opinion places Connecticut in advance of many states and of many countries. It affords the wife a greater degree of protection from her husband. It has been heretofore held, almost generally, that the identity of the wife being merged into that of her husband, she could not sue him for personal injuries. Of course, the wife could have her husband arrested and prosecuted in the criminal courts for misconduct.

Now the Supreme Court says: "When the purposes of the marriage relation have wholly failed by reason of the misconduct of one or both of the parties there is no reason why the husband or wife should not have the same remedies for injuries inflicted by the other spouse which the courts would give them against other parties."

FINDING THE FULLMAN PORTER.

From the Youth's Companion.

The Limited Express tore madly through midnight darkness. Suddenly the alert engineer sprang to the lever and set the brakes. The sparks flew from the rails as the locked wheels slid along with a cry as of pain. The lights were extinguished as car after car toppled from the rail. Then came a shuddering silence, more terrible than the harsh grating of iron and steel.

Some passengers made torches from fragments of wreckage and searched for dead and injured. A sound singularly like a snore issued from a pile of debris. Hastily removing several pieces of twisted iron, they dragged forth a slumbering porter.

"Great Heavens!" they exclaimed. "Didn't you know there had been a wreck?"

"Well, gemmun, I sho' felt somethin'; but I done thought we was couplin' on de diniu' cah at Jackson."

Mineral Pine Tar.

From the Nevada (Mo.) Post.

A surprising strike was made the other day on the Morehead ranch, near Ripley, Ok., by oil prospectors. At a depth of 1200 feet a strike of what at first was thought to be heavy asphaltum was made. However, upon examination it was found to resemble, smell and taste like pine tar. A sample of it was sent to Washington for analysis. There is considerable interest expressed in the community over the strange find.

Texas Deduction.

From the Houston Post.

We judge from the tone of his newspapers that Mr. Hearst is making preparations to form the acquaintance of some more politically strange bedfellows.

Help for Creelman.

From the Washington Post.

Although professional ethics may prevent, it seems a pity that Link Steffens can't go down and help Jim Creelman settle the whole affair.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

ARBOR DAY.

J. C.—Arbor day is a day set apart in the United States and Canada for the planting of trees, shrubs, etc. It is chiefly observed by the children in the public schools. J. Sterling Morton, afterwards Secretary of Agriculture during President Cleveland's term, was the originator of the idea. When a member of the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture in 1872, he offered a resolution setting apart Ap. 10 of that year as "tree planting" day. Some of the members of the Board advocated calling it "Sylvan day," but he talked them out of that name. A resolution was finally adopted recommending that the people throughout the State plant trees on the day named and offered in the name of the Board a prize of $100 to the agricultural society which should plant properly the largest number of trees, and a farm library worth $25 to the individual planting the largest number of trees. More than 1,000,000 trees were planted in Nebraska that year. The next year the Governor officially proclaimed the second Wednesday in Ap. as Arbor day. The day was named by proclamation until 1885, when Ap. 22 was made Arbor day and a holiday by the Legislature of the State. The motion proved to be a popular one and spread rapidly to the other states. In Missouri, Arbor day is first Friday after first Tuesday in Ap. Gov. Major asks for impressive services this year on Ap. 10.

ETIQUETTE.

SINGLE.—Young man calling upon young lady should go home at 10 p. m.

C. B. X.—Within two weeks calls on a newcomer are returned, and cards are left; same is done by sister-in-law returning the calls.

MARY.—Never fasten napkin at neck or wear it bib fashion. Unfold and lay it across lap for use when required. When guest for only a meal, leave it on table unfolded when you rise. If visiting for longer time and at home, follow custom of family, folding napkin if they set the example.

R. T.—If sandwich is of a kind that separates readily, break the pieces and convey them to the mouth as eating bread and butter. If a lettuce leaf or other relish interferes with this plan cut the pieces into convenient sizes. A fork is required only when sandwich contains meat or other edible which cannot be taken up daintily with the fingers. In restaurants the salad is eaten with a fork directly from the tall dish in which it is served, the ice in the lower receptacle being merely for the purpose of keeping the whole cool.

HEALTH HINTS.

MOTHER.—There is said to be no way to relieve whooping cough except to allow it to run its course, and to guard the child against taking cold, as this simple trouble frequently develops into pneumonia. The action of whooping cough is spasmodic, and while the child seems to suffer considerably while coughing, in reality that is not so. Keep patient cool and comfortable, and as quiet as possible, for excitement invariably brings on a coughing spell. One writer says: Rub the whole length of the spine three times a day and for several minutes each time with amber oil. It is sold by druggists. The smell is that of resinous woods; the application is exceedingly pleasant to the child and the friction, combined with the gentle absorption of the oil by the skin, often acts most beneficially upon nerves and lungs. I would not say this had I not witnessed the effect of the treatment in numerous cases. Keep the little one in the open air as much as as you can on sunny days.

THANKS.—A drummer, two college students, a bartender, six baseball players, and the proprietor of a pool-room were sitting on the steps outside the headquarters of the Anti-cigarette League when Miss Lucy Page Gaston arrived to open the second day of the league's free clinic. They all wanted a sample of the league's treatment for getting a toe-hold on Lady Nicotine. The drummer displayed a fuzzy tongue., Dr. D. H. Kress, general secretary of the league, drew a tiny brush from a glass case, swabbed the tongue with a solution of nitrate of silver and passed on to the next victim, while the drummer hurried out in the hall to light a cigarette and test the remedy. He took two puffs and sent the snipe out the window. "Gee!" said he, with a wry expression and much emphasis. Miss Gaston pronounced the new treatment a success. She said that after three mouth washes with the nitrate of silver solution the most hardened smoker was ready to quit.

LAW POINTS.

N. J.—A lawyer may file a divorce petition, but only a judge can grant a divorce.

A. E.—A quit-claim deed will do for the purpose, mother wishing to deed property to children.

QUERIES.—Your husband would be disqualified as a witness in your behalf in the suit of contesting the will of your father.

READER.—Any defect of title which may turn up, and not excepted in the warranty deed, would make the party who executed the same liable therefor under his warranty.

ANXIOUS READER.—Partition may be had of land subject to a lease. The lease hasn't anything to do with it, nor would lease effect the fees of attorney or delay the proceeding.

WIDOW.—The married daughters you have appointed in your will as executrixes could not act. If at your decease any of them should be a widow, she can; but any subsequent marriage would at once revoke such appointment.

ANXIETY.—You would have an interest in any surplus arising from the sale under foreclosure; however, as a rule, there usually isn't any surplus. We presume your husband is dead; if not, you could claim no right to the proceeds. If you cannot raise the cash necessary to purchase at such sale, see an attorney before proceeding.

SPECIAL TAX READER.—As to when special taxes for improvements are payable and number of installments, it depends upon kind of work; if for sidewalk or alley, same are payable 30 days after notice of the issuance thereof, and when so paid no interest can be charged; after that, they bear interest. Special tax bills for sewers and streets may be divided in from three to seven installments; the first payable 30 days after notice of issuance thereof, the remainder one each year thereafter. The custom is to divide into about six parts, payable as aforesaid. When due and unpaid, contractor may sue thereon, but in event he fails to do so within two years, the lien is extinguished and the debt becomes a personal one against the owner, outlawed by statute of limitation if not sued thereon within five years. Contractors generally wait until the two years are nearly up before bringing suit to enforce the lien of such special tax.

W. M. C.—The statutes say one month, and not 30 days. If your rent is due, say on the 20th of March, and in advance, landlord is required to deliver you a written notice if he desires possession at end of month, which notice must be delivered to you on or before March 19; if delivered on the day rent is due (March 20) it would not be binding. Bear in mind, however, that service of such notice does not excuse tenant from paying his rent when due, and by refusal to pay when due, upon demand, landlord can sue and oust tenant forthwith. Sickness such as you state is no excuse whereby you could hold over, even though you paid the rent. Probably in your case landlord has delivered notice on the rent day, which would give you another month to stay, or more, depending upon later developments; but if delivered before, get busy and seek other quarters.

Coin Values.—Published Weekly.

VALUE.—A. Z., 7 cts.; H. M. C., '87 cent, 7 cts. (There are no "Columbian" gold dollars and halves). Cal., 7 cts.

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(Quotations from St. Louis dealer. Address questions "Answers.")

His Sister's Ticket—

A Brilliant Love Story by—

John Kendrick Bangs.

SHE was a dream of beauty, and as she entered the Pullman at the South Station, Robertson all but gasped. He was not exactly a misogynist, but by those who knew him best he was regarded as an almost certain candidate for the honors of permanent bachelorhood. Now, however, he was taken completely off his feet.

The girl took the chair next to that in which Robertson sat. She took out her ticket and slipped it into the little crack between the window and the mahogany sill. This done, she rose, walked to the further end of the car, and stood on the front platform.

Robertson's eyes followed her as she went, and when she disappeared upon the platform a bright idea flashed across his mind. He reached quickly over, seized the girl's ticket, and, putting it in his wallet, walked to the rear platform at the other end of the car.

In a few moments the train started. The train having passed the Back Bay station, the conductor came along to collect his dues.

Robertson handed the official his ticket and resumed his reading with admirable unconcern, although his inner perturbation grew more violent than ever.

"Ticket, please, madam," said the conductor courteously, addressing the girl.

She raised her head and turned to the window sill, reaching out her daintily gloved hand for the evidence of her right to ride. Not finding it, she gave a musical little ejaculation of dismay.

"Why," she gasped, "I—I—I put it in that crack there not ten minutes ago, conductor. It can't have blown away, can it?"

"Not very well through a closed window," returned the conductor. "You've probably brushed it off onto the floor."

A search followed—in which, of course, Robertson ostentatiously joined; but, equally of course, it was unavailing.

"What have I got to do?" asked the girl, with some anxiety in her voice.

"I'm sorry, miss," said the conductor, "but I'll have to ask you to pay your fare. How far are you going?"

"New York," answered the girl.

"Then you'll have to pay me four dollars and sixty-six cents."

The girl bit her lips.

"But, conductor," she protested, "I—I can't—I haven't more than 80 cents in my pocketbook."

"I beg pardon for intruding," put in Robertson; "but if I can be of any assistance"—

"Oh, I couldn't think of borrowing money from a stranger," began the girl.

"It won't be necessary for you to borrow any money from me," smiled Robertson graciously. "By a very fortunate circumstance I happen to have an extra ticket from Boston to New York in my pocket. My sister, who was coming over with me, was detained at the last moment, and I shall be glad to place her ticket at your disposal." He opened his wallet and took the necessary article therefrom.

"Oh, I couldn't think of"— began the girl, apparently very much flustered.

"It's the only way, miss," interrupted the conductor kindly.

"I am very much obliged to you," said the girl demurely. "I will accept the ticket."

"Good!" said the conductor, and he passed on, leaving Robertson and his new-found sister to pursue their journey in a pleasant interchange of ideas, which grew more and more animated as time passed.

"I thank you very much, Mr. Robertson," she said, when they parted at the Grand Central Station. "I will ask my father to send you a check for the ticket, and perhaps some evening, when you have nothing better to do, you might call."

"Oh, please don't," Robertson began, not caring to receive a check for the purloined ticket; but the cab had started, and he was left standing on the curb, a prey to alternately uneasy and ecstatic reflections.

II.

Six months later, Robertson, after a lonely dinner at his club, mounted the steps of Col. Witherbee's mansion on upper Fifth avenue. He had made not one but many calls upon Marorie Witherbee since the episode of the lost ticket. More radiantly beautiful than ever, Miss Witherbee entered the drawing room; and for a moment, dazzled by her loveliness, Robertson merely stood and gazed at her. He had intended to approach the main subject of his evening's discourse gradually, but at the critical moment his feelings overpowered him, and without any preliminaries he plunged torrentially into the matter dearest to his heart.

"Miss Witherbee," he began, "I cannot put it off a minute longer. Ever since that afternoon last July, when the fates decreed that our paths should cross on that Boston train, I have had but one consuming idea. The moment I saw you, I knew that my eyes beheld the one woman who could make my life a dream of happiness."

"It is very good of you to say so, Mr. Robertson," she replied. "I am proud to have inspired such feelings in you. Indeed, I can't deny that my feeling has grown into some sort of an affection, but perhaps—perhaps," she went on hesitatingly, "it is the affection of a sister. That is the way we began, you may remember, and no doubt you know what a sister's affection is."

"I never had a sister!" cried Robertson petulantly.

"Never had a sister?" echoed Marjorie, her eyes bubbling over with suppressed merriment, which however, Robertson was too much cast down to note. "Why, then, whose ticket was it that I used coming over from Boston?"

"Yours," confessed Robertson humbly. "I stole it."

"And—and you told a fib about its being your sister's ticket?" said Marjorie, with an admirable imitation of reproachfulness in her voice.

"Yes," said Robertson wearily. "It was a plain, everyday, common or garden prevarication." He rose up sadly. "I don't suppose there really is any hope for me now," he said. "You couldn't—no woman could care for a—a liar."

He started for the door, but in a moment she was at his side.

"Women have married men to reform them"— She hesitated a moment, and then she went on softly: "Jack!"

A thrill of ecstacy passed through him, as he turned and caught her in his arms.

"When a man is willing to confess there's hope for him,' she added, smiling up at him; "and besides, Jack, dear, you know I am not the one who should condemn, for I, too, told a teeny-weeny little fib myself, that day.'

"You?" he cried. "I won't believe it."

"You must," she answered. "Do you remember what I said when the conductor demanded $4.66?"

"Remember it? Do I remember?" he replied. "I don't believe a single word has dropped from your lips, in my hearing, that I have forgotten. You told the conductor that you only had 80 cents."

"Yes," said Marjorie. "And all the while I had $49 in my purse."

"You had?" said Robertson, very much puzzled. "Why didn't you pay your fare?"

"Because, dear," she explained, "I wanted my own ticket back, and I saw you take it!"

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Gladness Becomes a Heroine

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By MARGUERITE MARTYN.



By Marguerite Martyn.

STILL out of a job, Gladness, by all the rules of practical folk ought to be moping in her room to save car fare or trudging from door to door of downtown offices seeking employment. But Gladness is not entirely a practical person. The sordid city has not yet had time to get in its work.

If she feels the need of an excuse for seeking the nearest approach to flower sprinkled meadows and smokeless skies the city affords, and rides out to the park this first fine morning of spring, she will say, it is to try her fortune with a ball of dandelion fluff or change her luck with a four-leaf-clover.

Strange how fortune seems sometimes to follow such careless creatures as these! Soon the opportunity of her life presents itself to Gladness, like this: Motor car coming swiftly around a curve. Nursemaid and policeman absorbed in their flirtation. Child chasing sparrows into the middle of the drive. Gladness quick as lightning snatching baby from in front of wheels. Screaming nursemaid hysterically running away. Policeman and Gladness taking frightened baby to its palatial home. Mother overwhelmed with gratitude. Offers Gladness anything her wealth affords.

Sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it? There was a time when upon meeting a fairy with a magic wand Gladness would have wished for jewels, pretty clothes, ease, luxury and an opportunity like this would have presented to her lively imagination visions of adoption by a wealthy family, society and ultimately a wealthy prince. Gladness is not lacking in imagination, but, strange how our viewpoints change when we've quite outgrown fairy tales and have had a wee taste of independence in the world of reality.

Here's where her story comes back to realism. Gladness' dearest wish, if the lady will graciously grant it, is unhesitatingly "work."

Small Hat in Vogue With Exaggerated Tilt

THE small hat is still the rule. many of the most effective being toques that are worn well down over one eye, tilted to show the hair on the other side. Black is the most effective of them. A revival of the extremely flat-crowned Watteau and Dolly Varden shapes is on, and these hats before summer will be raised to an exaggerated height at the back or one side. Just now these hats are picturesque and mostly becoming.

Some of the new hats, simply trimmed, seem to stand on end on the head. Then there are charming little hats with narrow, flat brims and high crowns covered with small flowers. Some of the latest millinery is trimmed with preserved fruit as well as preserved flowers.

Did These Men Know How to Propose? Actual Experiences Written by Readers

One Young Man Confesses He Has Proposed Seven Times and Is Still Heart-Free.

By Betty Vincent.



HEIGHO! Here is a man who has a snappy answer for "Perplexed." "Perplexed" as you know, is the young woman who wrote to me the other day saying that the men in St. Louis, and in America generally, did not now how to win a woman's heart. She said the men on this side of the water seemed to expect the girl to do the love-making and that they proposed marraige without having taken the pains to capture the maiden's affections and declaring their own love-lorn condition.

This man who writes, signing himself "M. H. H.," says he has proposed to seven girls and is still a single man. In fact he intimates he was accepted by all of the seven, but that he decided he had made a mistake. Not very successful in love, you will say and in that respect seemingly a living corroboration of "Perplexed's" complaint. But read his very interesting letter and write and tell me if you think he has made a satisfactory answer.

Then there are letters from women. I can publish but two of them today. One of these agrees with "Perplexed" and the other (who received and accepted a proposal within the last few days and is now a happy bride) says "Perplexed" ought to know that American men are the champion wooers. She tells how her husband proposed. Her delicious little letter will make "Perplexed" say "There, I told you so," but others will say, "Now that is a practical little girl who knows what she is talking about." I expect the three letters published today will bring forth many others for publication.

This Proposal Was Made in Eight Words; It Won

J. M. writes: "I think that the foreign lady has a wrong impression of our men. The American men are the champion wooers and one thing is sure: they are not out fortune-hunting like foreign men and therefore do not see why they should get on their knees to propose. When my husband proposed the other day, he came to me and said: "I am working for Ford; let's get married."

He did not say, "Your father's millions have won my heart; I adore you; will you marry me?"

This Man Proposed by Letter and Was Rejected

BUSINESS woman writes: "For the benefit and enlightenment of 'Perplexed,' I will say that if she expects to be wooed and won in the way girls are in the Old World, she better make up her mind to be an old maid. To win a girl's love doesn't seem to be very important to the men here; at least they don't make an effort.

"It is a sad thing for a girl who wants to fall in love but has no chance. The men don't realize that by showing their devotion they would win out in many cases; they think it is the girl's business to make them fall in love and not the reverse, as is customary in Europe. Dear girl, when in Rome do as the Romans do, and go ahead and woo for yourself; it is all the wooing there ever will be done—the wooing the woman does. The man who spends half a lifetime endeavoring to win a girl and the maiden that leads him a merry chase doesn't exist here. Most men are shy and need encouragement; or, perhaps they don't care one way or the other, although they will continue to seek your company.

"One experience I will relate: A man was my regular caller for more than a year, and for my entertainment he would repeat out of the daily papers all he could remember and comment upon it. This went on day after day, he carefully avoiding any subject relating to his heart, but hinted about marriage and telling me it was a woman's place to propose. I didn't take the hint and he wrote and told me he wanted to marry me, trying to show me how it would benefit my business having a man to keep. I like this man in spite of all, and if he had tried he could have won my heart.

"I have been here a good many years and ought to know both sides thoroughly, and will be glad if my few lines will be of some help to 'Perplexed.' It will take her a long time to understand conditions peculiar to this part of the world."

This Is the Letter Written by Perplexed Over Which Lovers Are Waging Debate

Dear Miss Vincent:

I AM a working girl of 26, born and reared in the Old World. During my few years' stay in this country I have met many young men and am perplexed about their general behavior. A short time ago one man asked me to marry him and this man had never shown any affection or love at all. The same thing in about the same way has happened before.

Now, don't American men try to win a girl's love? Do they expect a girl to do the courting? I have seen girls here do that and wonder if that is the way of this country. Small wonder American heiresses fall easy prey to the charming manners of foreign fortune hunters! How can a woman think of marrying one of these faint-hearted, bashful swains who either have no affection to offer or think a girl has to guess it.

Speak out, you American men, or we girls will think you have no heart, soul or manhood in your makeup at all. On the other side, men woo and win the girl of their heart, and it is surely the only way to let her know and be sure of a man's love before she marries him.

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Pretty Women and Plain Facts.

By Alice Lee Moque.

THAT some society women are not only clever milliners, but have good common sense, as well as good hearts and good business ideas, has just been proven by the Lucy Holcombe Chapter of the D. A. R. in Washington, D. C. They have had a most successful hat sale at Mrs. Charles Richardson's home on Connecticut avenue, where a number of dainty Easter creations were sold. The proceeds of the sale will be used for educational work among the mountaineers of North Carolina.

Apropos of spring hats, Mrs. Medill McCormick is now wearing a very stylish and becoming one. It is of the new lavender shade and has jaunty wings which tone in beautifully with the color of the straw. With it Mrs. McCormick wears a natty black and white check tailor-made spring gown, which fits her girlish figure to perfection. Mrs. McCormick is the daughter of the late Senator Hanna, and has worked wonders for the woman's movement by her attractive personality, charming affability and real ability. All men like plain facts, but plain facts are more interesting when presented by not plain, but attractive women.

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Seven Engagements and Hasn't Got a Wife Yet

M. H. H. writes: "Being a man, I might just as well 'speak out,' as 'Perplexed' suggested. I have been around this part of the globe quite a bit and have met most every kind of a girl there is and have been engaged to seven different girls, and am a single man, and moreover am not keeping company with any girl, and there is a reason. The girl of today is not after love. She wants the amusement a man can find for her. Then, when they get older, they want to get married. A man such as 'Perplexed' describes, with a heart, soul and manhood, does not want to marry a pretty eye or to marry a pretty foot, pretty lips, pretty hair, or pretty face; a man wants a wife and not an ornament. When I find a HELPMATE, then I will make my eighth proposal and hold to it. A man should not propose to every girl he goes with. He should find a helpmate or never marry. I would rather be single and happy than to marry a pretty face and be in misery. I am a man of 22."

The Sandman Story for Tonight

By MRS. F. A. WALKER.

YOU remember that the four animals in the house by the water gave a party and how Mr. Dog saved the refreshments?

Of course, he was the lion of the evening when the guests were told how he caught Mr. Possum.

It was quite late when the party broke up, and Mr. Goosey-Gander, who was quite a dandy, put on his tall hat, and taking his cane, started out for home. "I'll go first," he said, "as I like to walk slowly."

The animals were having such a good time indoors that they did not notice that it was snowing outside. The snow was very deep—so deep, in fact, that it came to the top of the door of the house by the water, and when Mr. Goosey-Gander opened the door he did not happen to look before him, and bump! he went into the snow.

His hat fell off and his bill was imbedded in the snow so deep he could not pull it out. There is no telling what would have happened had the other guests not started soon after.

When they opened the door there was poor Goosey-Gander fast in the snow. They pulled him out and brought him in to the fire.

"But what shall we do?" said the rooster. "We are snowed in and cannot get home tonight."

Madam Goose and Madam Hen hurried about and arranged places for them to sleep, but in the morning it was still snowing and they could not go home.

"We have plenty of food," said Madam Hen; "we will make this a house party for the week-end and everybody must tell a story."

THE STORY OF THE GRAY HEN.

"My great-great-grandmother was a black hen, and the farmer where she lived was very proud of her because she laid such nice, large eggs, but great-great-grandmother wanted some little chickens. Of course she did not have a chance to hatch them because the farmer drove her off her nest and took away the eggs.

But great-great-grandmother was determined to start a family and not let the line die out.

One day she disappeared and everybody hunted for her. They looked in the hay loft, in the cellar and even in the dog's house, but she could not be found, and when she did not come for her breakfast with the others they gave her up for lost, thinking that a fox had carried her off.

One day, some time after that, one of the hens said: "Who is that coming up the road?" All the hens, and even the rooster ran to look.

"It looks like black hen," said one, "but it cannot be, for there seems to be a brood with this one."

"It is black hen," said another and they ran down the road to meet her. "Where have you been?" they all asked. "we thought the fox had carried you off."

"No, indeed," said great-great-grandmother, "Mr. Fox did not carry me away. I walked. I was tired of having my eggs taken from me, so I just went into the woods and made me a nest where the farmer could not find it.

"And that was the way in which our family was started," said grey hen.

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ANOTHER SANDMAN STORY WILL BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW.

Russia Liberal to Science.

The meteorological service of Russia finds itself in the position, rare in the experience of European scientific institutions, of having ample funds for its present needs and future development, thanks to a liberal increase in its budget recently authorized by the Government.

Japs Are Eating Millet.

Owing to abnormal conditions prevailing in the rice market in Japan, the poorer people are looking to other foodstuffs for their main diet. Manchurian millet is rapidly growing in favor.

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"THE LURE" MORE UNCLEAN HERE THAN IN NEW YORK

Its Forbidden Second Act, Showing Scene in Disorderly Resort, Again Is Played.

PLAYGOERS' GUIDE

Mme. Nazimova in "Bella Donna." Olympic. Engagement opens Monday evening.

"The Lure." Shubert. A repulsive melodrama, the scene of its second act laid in a disorderly resort. This second act, as now performed, was forbidden in New York City after its first few productions.

"What Happened to Mary." American. Owen Davis' dramatization of his own stories. Entertaining comedy, well presented.

Vaudeville. Columbia. Bill headed by "Beauty Is Only Skin Deep," one-act farce, made from Elizabeth Jordan's play, "The Lady From Oklahoma."

Vaudeville. Hippodrome. Bill headed by Alpine Sextet in "From Grand Opera to Ragtime."

Vaudeville. Grand. Bill headed by Julia Ring and company in "The Man She Met."

Mollie Williams Co. Standard. Burlesque and vaudeville.

The Rector Girls. Gayety. Burlesque and vaudeville.

By RIPLEY D. SAUNDERS.

IN "The Lure,' which began its engagement at the Shubert Theater, on Sunday evening, the offensive second act of the play's original version, which was forbidden in New York after its first few performances, now has been replaced, boldly picturing the night life in a disorderly resort.

When I saw this play at the Maxine Elliott Theater in New York last November, it had been "modified" to the extent of changing this act's environment to represent the offices of the so-called "Lockwood Employment Agency," a further presentation of the original scene having been prohibited by the law under penalty of an enforced termination of the play's metropolitan engagement.

Even as "The Lure's" story then was told, I felt it necessary to inform the Post-Dispatch's readers that the play was "utterly indefensible as a public entertainment, its presentation forbidden by every canon of decency and good morals." My New York review of the play's performance closed with the statement that "the final taste which 'The Lure' leaves in one's mouth is of unutterable and unforgivable nastiness."

This characterization of the piece now applies with vastly heightened emphasis. The second act's environment has been shifted back to its original setting, eliminated in New York by the law's intervention, so that its locale is described on the Shubert program as "At Madame Lockwood's" instead of "At the Lockwood Employment Agency," the scene now presented being that of a disorderly resort, as already stated.

There is no need to go into detail concerning the incidents pictured in this scene, revealing the hapless existence of the pitiable women who are the inmates of "Madame Lockwood's place," and the methods of the male vultures who gain a livelihood by preying upon these unfortunates. The simple statement of the truth is enough. The story told in this second act, the manner of its telling, the general atmosphere created and maintained until the curtain's fall, are such that the act's presentation in any playhouse attended by decent people is unpardonable.

A further consideration of the play, therefore, will not be attempted. Despite the protestations of its producers, its performance is a pandering to the evil, not a service to the good, in life. Its presentation on a reputable stage may not be condoned.

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Society

THE "Polly," Anderson Gratz' houseboat, which has been cruising around New Orleans for about two months, will start home in a few days with a party of St. Louisans who went down by train Saturday to go aboard her, and come up the river as guests of Mr. Gratz and Miss Katherine Gratz. They are Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Boeckeler, Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Capen and Miss Helen Bonsack.

The marriage of Miss Grace Valle Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Price of 4450 Laclede avenue, and Robert E. Adreon has been set for April 30, and will be a quiet affair, as the bridegroom-elect's family is in mourning. Only the nearest relatives will be present. Miss Price's aunt, Mrs. William Meade Robinson of Louisville will come over for the wedding. She will be accompanied by her niece, Miss Fanny McPheeters, who returned from Europe in June and has been visiting her.

Mrs. James B. Hill of 4436 West Pine boulevard, and her daughters, Misses Mary Belle and Louise Hill, who are in New Orleans, will soon join the St. Louis colony at Pass Christian and Biloxi, Miss. They will remain until late in May.

Mrs. M. W. Abell of the Planters Hotel has gone to Lexington, Ky., to visit relatives.

A concert will be given by the seventh grade school children at the Soldan High School, Tuesday evening. Several hundred voices have been trained for the occasion.

The engagement of Miss Maude Hellman, daughter of Mrs. A. M. Hellman of 4043 McPherson avenue and Dr. Louis K. Guggenheim was announced Sunday evening. The marriage will take place in June. Miss Hellman returned last autumn from Rome, where she studied the Montessori system under Mme. Montessori, and has been teaching a class of children all winter. She is considered a perfect type by art photographers who have made charming studies of her.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto E. Rugg of the Buckingham Annex have gone to Hot Springs, Ark., for several weeks.

See DEEMS, the Letter Man, For Mail Order Lists, etc. 720 Olive.

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The postoffice at Courtland will pay the new Postmaster between $1000 and $1200 a year, but it did not net Miss Tyler that sum as many of the business men of Courtland were opposed to her and did everything to curtail the revenues of the office.

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Says Wife Slashed Him With Scissors.

Thomas L. Fagan, 40 years old, a painter, of 1142 Bayard avenue, applied at the central dispensary Sunday evening to have small lacerations on his arm, shoulder and back treated. He said the wounds had been inflicted by his wife, Mrs. Oliverone Fagan, with a pair of scissors.

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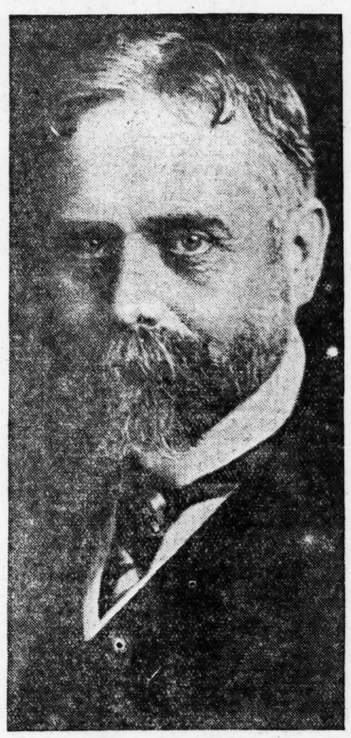
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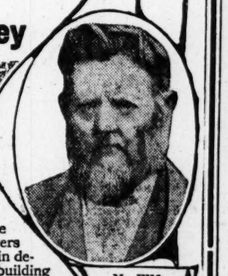
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POWDER EXPLOSION MAKES ALTON FEAR ASYLUM REMOVAL

Delegation Confers With Gov. Dunne on Protests Against Erection of Hospital for Insane.

SITE PICKED MONTHS AGO

Effort Now Being Made to Induce Company to Change Location of Mills.

A delegation of Alton officials, politicians and business men went to Springfield Monday to confer with Gov. Dunne and the State Board of Administration in reference to protests against the erection of the $5,000,000 state hospital for the insane on the site that has been selected for it, within a mile and a half of the Equitable Powder Works.

Until the powder plant blew up last Wednesday evening, killing a man and doing damage and spreading terror for miles around, it was not generally known that the site for the hospital which is to house hundreds of insane persons, was next door to a powder factory. Since the explosion demands have been made for the removal of the powder mill or the selection of another site for the hospital.

The site was selected several months ago by the Board of Administration, of which Fred J. Kern of Belleville is chairman. A great deal of money has already been spent for ground and some building has been done. The plans call for a large administration building and cottages.

When Gov. Dunne heard about the explosion he called up State Senator Beall and talked with him about it. Beall consulted with Mayor Faulstich and politicians and business men and a conference was arranged to be held Monday at the State House. F. W. Olin, principal owner of the powder works, was invited to this conference.

The Board of Trade, alarmed at the danger of losing the institution, sent William Joesting, the secretary, to the conference to urge that it be not moved.

Efforts are to be made to induce Olin to move the powder works, but he is said to be well pleased with the present location and not at all disposed to move.

Preparations have been made to extend the street car line to the hospital site, which is three-quarters of a mile northeast of Upper Alton, and great increase of real estate values in the vicinity of the institution has been anticipated.

BANK ROBBER SHOOTS CASHIER AND GETS $500

Also Wounds Altoona (Pa.) Depositor and Escapes in an Automobile.

ALTOONA, Pa., March 23.—A bandit today shot the cashier of the Union Bank of Altoona, wounded a depositor and got away in an automobile with about $500 of the bank's money.

The robber was a young man. He wore no mask. Driving to the bank in an automobile, he pointed a revolver at Mr. Burton, the teller, and demanded the bank's money.

Burton dodged behind a counter. The robber climbed over the counter, and when the cashier, A. P. Turner, turned in his chair as the robber fired, the bullet striking Turner in the stomach.

A bookkeeper and another employe escaped through a door to the cellar while the teller lay in a corner.

The robber gathered into a satchel all the loose bills he found on the counters. While so engaged, Mr. Blackburn, a depositor, entered the bank and as he was closing the front door the robber fired a bullet through Blackburn's thigh.

The bandit then walked to the street. Many persons were passing the corner and he fired in every direction, chasing everybody to cover. He escaped in an automobile.

Turner was taken to the Altoona Hospital and Blackburn was removed to his home.

"Lead, Kindly Light," Last Words of McKinley.

Among the hymns to be found in the book of "Songs That Never Grow Old," now being sold by arrangement with the Post-Dispatch for 49 and 79 cents, according to the style of binding desired, is "Lead Kindly Light," the title of which were the last words uttered by President McKinley on his deathbed. To learn of the plan by which you can obtain this valuable volume of "Songs That Never Grow Old," see the announcement in another column of the Post-Dispatch. This is positively the last week of this distribution

GRADUAL RETURN TO SPRING IS FORECAST FOR THIS WEEK.

WASHINGTON, March 23.

A GRADUAL return to normal spring temperatures, with generally fair skies during the week, is predicted by the Weather Bureau for all sections of this country east of the Rocky Mountains.

"There will be frosts the first part of the week, however," the bulletin says, "in the East Gulf and South Atlantic states, except Southern Florida. West of the Rocky Mountains fair weather and normal temperatures are probable during the week.

"There is nothing to indicate marked storm activity over the country during the week. A disturbance of moderate intensity will appear in the Northwest Wednesday or Thursday, cross the Middle West about Friday and the Eastern states near the end of the week. This disturbance will be attended by local areas of precipitation and be followed by a change to cooler weather in the Northern states east of the Rocky Mountains."

EFFORT TO SETTLE BELMONT SUIT OUT OF COURT FAILS

NEW YORK, March 23.—It has developed that De Lancey Nicoll, representing the Belmonts, made an effort at the last moment to settle the suit for separation of Ethel Lorraine Belmont against Raymond Belmont, but the attempt was in vain, and August Belmont's daughter-in-law, formerly a stage girl, went on the stand in the Supreme Court and told of her past life, her marriage to Belmont and their plans to go into the dog business. Justice Greenbaum will take up the case again tomorrow.

Raymond Belmont eloped with and married the former stage girl on Nov 21, 1912. It was disclosed in the separation suit hearing that he had spent $110,000 on her in a few years, but she testified that all she received from him after their marriage was $50.

Raymond Belmont is in Europe, but his father and his brother, August Belmont Jr., were in court and heard the story of how Raymond Belmont met Ethel Lorraine amid disreputable surroundings and supported her for about two and one-half years before he married her.

In telling of their plans after marriage, she said: "Mr. Belmont told me he intended to go into the dog business His whole heart and soul were in that business. He said he'd look after the beagles and I should look after the Pekinese, and we'd exhibit them at the dog show, and he was sure there would be a handsome profit in the business."

She testified that the last she had heard from her husband was on the night of the eighth day after their marriage. "He phoned to me and said he was going away," she said, "but did not say where nor why."

Mrs. Belmont told of signing releases of all obligations on the part of Raymond Belmont to her before their marriage. She told of signing one general release for $20,000 which was paid to her. She said that she went to California and that when she returned Belmont wanted to marry her.

"I considered it a long time," he testified. "Often I argued with him that, in view of my past and his family and other circumstances, I feared we would not be happy together. He said I was essential to him and so I consented."

She said that after their marriage her husband called her on the telephone and called her a fool for not taking his brother's offer of $300 a month to leave him. "A short time ago," she said, "my lawyers got a letter from August Belmont offering me $500 a year to drop the case. I wouldn't take that."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Thomas Edward O'Neill.........927 Walton
Esther Rehg.........1609 N. 19th
Tom Self.........1107 S. 7th
Myrtle Clark.........120 Lombard
Walter Gottheimer.........5703 Clemens
Gizella Mueller.........5194 Kensington
Mose Self.........1105 S. 7th
Flossie Warren.........127 Lombard
George E. Wood.........1223 S. 3d
Myrtle Hastings.........1221 Chouteau
James Herbert Sneed.........2708 Lawton
Mrs. Nersena Isabell.........2708 Lawton
Earl F. Apperson.........Meredosia, Ill
Mrs. Bertha Malloroy.........Eolia, Mo
Omar Harrison King......702 N. Vandeventer
Lavinia Frances Mitchell.........Waverly, Ill
Charles H. Moomey Jr.........Blue Mound, Ill
Margaret M. Kinney.........Moweaqua, Ill
Majks Bell.........1431 Bremen
Sophia Hoffmann.........1431 Bremen
Leo Thomas.........East St. Louis, Ill
Eva Turner.........East St. Louis, Ill
Tom Houston.........Lemonville, Mo
Roes Lockhart.........Royal, Mo
Paul B. Westover.........2826 Washington
Rachel L. Tudor.........Portageville, Mo
Archie T. Lewis.........Luxora, Ark
Lillian Rackaway.........St. Louis
Richard C. Whalen.........Brereton, Ill
Jessie M. Ewing.........Brereton, Ill
Richard Ashford.........Carrollton, Ill
Mrs. Mary Cheek.........Kemper, Ill
Charles F. McAdow Sr.........Cincinnati, O
Mrs. Annette K. Patterson.........Cincinnati, O
John Fritz.........2747 Caroline
Anna Abarding.........4136 Schiller

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BIRTHS RECORDED.

W. and L. Fuegge, Belleville; boy.
J. and S. Gardner, 5603 North Market; boy.
J. and A. Hoffman, 4212 N. 11th; boy.
N. and M. Novako, 3511 N. Broadway; boy.
J. and A. Porte, 1915 Madison; boy.
W. and B. Voeke, 4225A Florissant; boy.
E. and E. Weaver, 6038A Bartmer; boy.
W. and A. Zieger, 1914A College; boy.
K. and M. Sadowski, 2502 De Kalb; boy.
J. and M. Cicielak, 315 St. George; boy.
J. and M. Banko, 219 Victor; boy.
C. and A. Brooks, 2022 N. 9th; boy.
W. and L. Clark, 707 Utah; boy.
J. and K. Quint, 910 Geyer; boy.
F. and M. Kemepechen, 1616 S. 3d; boy.
C. and A. Orf, 4558 Cote Brilliante; boy.
J. and E. Schwartz, 4177 Schiller pl.; boy.
J. and A. Hollenbeck, 1121A S. Taylor; boy.
L. and H. Finkeldey, 2251 Bernays; boy.
W. and M. Thomas, 513A S. Ewing; boy.
J. and A. Sanquinet, 2223 Oriole; boy.
A. and E. Spier, 5918 Nashville; boy.
F. and C. Keck, 3914 Vest; girl.
J. and L. Major, 4036 Virgania; girl.
F. and R. Roberts, 2025 Martha; girl.
F. and A. Turner, 2021 East Grand; girl.
A. and I. Wagner, 2413 Gilmore; girl.
A. and A. Wachtrup, 4518A Greer; girl.
L. and E. Harris, Collins rd.; girl.
J. and L. Le Grand, 2817 Market; girl.
C. and M. Sprague, 2578 Geraldine; girl.
J. and B. Kralj, 4934 Humelsheim; girl.
G. and E. Head, 3606A Bamburger; girl.
W. and E. Doran, 4669A Evans; girl.
C. and L. Bath, 3835A Connecticut; girl.
N. and L. Ranken, 4602 Maffitt; girl.
J. and A. Koclovitz, 1807 Arsenal; girl.
L. and M. Sone, 2715A Stoddard; girl.
A. and V. Kowalak, 2346 Oriole; girl.
M. and M. Hill, 7929 Pennsylvania; girl.
J. and A. Sorak, 214 St. George; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Emilie Lorehr, 30, 510 Poepping; pneumonia.
H. A. W. Becker, 28, 3974 Gratiot; erysipelas.
Georgia Jones, 66, 2314 University; nephritis.
Agnes Thiele, 45, 3547 Sidney; pneumonia.
T. J. Hannon, 14, 773 Bayard; nephritis.
E. Wolff, 64, 1807 California; heart disease.
W. Timmerwilke, 63, 4359 College; pneumonia.
C. B. Brinkler, 69, 3311 Klein; cirrhosis.
Mollie Goldfeder, 90, 4124 Labadie; bronchitis.
Mary Freund, 84, 3652 Fairview; heart disease.
J. Powers, 65, 1536 Papin; pneumonia.
G. W. Hake, 67, 1426 Chambers; sclerosis.
E. C. Abernathy, 31, 7646 N. Broadway; abscess.
J. Eagen, 70, 2811 Madison; nephritis.
R. T. Grab, 80, 2843 Missouri; cancer.
H. H. Steffan, 64, 2217 N. 10th; nephritis.
P. Hurley, 30, 2943A Dayton; nephritis.
H. Stertmann, 62, 112 E. Gano; pleuritis.
Eliza Ely, 72, 3206 N. Newstead; bronchitis.
J. Vlasak, 66, 4468 Kossuth; cirrhosis.
Teresa C. Brown, 81, 3660 Laclede; apoplexy.
Mary E. Klines, 58, 4347 Maffitt; nephritis.

OWNING PROPERTY SHOULD BE PROFITABLE, NOT COSTLY TO YOU!

Good tenants usually consider ONLY advertised houses or apartments. They do the most important part of their "looking around" among the "For Rent" ads in St. Louis' big House and Home Directory in the Post-Dispatch Want Columns.

If you are becoming "property poor," this hint should turn the tide for you.

STOCKS ADVANCE SHARPLY ON THE EASTERN MARKET

Broad Buying Demand Develops and Close Is Near the High Point.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"On both the New York and London stock exchanges a sharp advance occurred today. Whether the two markets moved under a common impulse may probably be questioned; for the rise in New York, instead of continuing while London was in progress and halting after the London's closing, did not begin until the foreign markets were nearly through business for the day.

"In fact, a number of our own active shares declined ½ to 1 point from their opening prices during the early hours.

"Early in the afternoon, however, a general advance set in, accompanied by increased activity, and indicating further retreat of the 'bear party.'

"In our own affairs there was no news to which the change could be ascribed; the easiest explanation was perhaps the more or less vague feeling that the older unfavorable influences may have spent their force and are bound, in the nature of things, to improve.

"London's market was more particularly interesting, in view of the manner in which the war news from Ulster ran riot in yesterday's 'Sunday shockers' of London journalism.

"British consols today, at a bound, recovered nearly all of last week's continuous decline, by which the extraordinary outbursts of Sir Edward Carson and his friends were greeted.

"Fortunately, perhaps, for the English market, the so-called rumors reached their climax on a day when the Stock Exchange was closed. This morning they probably appeared like the material of an exceedingly bad dream.

Banks Lose Some Cash.

"Some of the banks made large remittances through the Subtreasury today, so that the cash loss to that quarter since Friday amounted to $1,379,000, as against a gain by the banks in the same period last week of $325,000.

"The banks had plenty of money to put out in loans for short periods, however, but the offerings for six months and over the year were not excessive.

"The further addition of $3,319,200 to surplus, as shown by the Clearing House institutions last Saturday, had only sentimental effect upon the money market, and there was little change to money rates today.

"The usual arrangements were under way to put through some temporary loans, in connection with the April 1 settlement next week.

"These engagements will be considerable, as the April dividend payments are large, and this year a good deal of additional financing will have to be provided for, in connection with the maturity of short-term note issues.

"There was a strong tone to the foreign exchange market most of the day.

Idle Cars Decrease.

"A word of comment may be worth while on two interesting statements, published Saturday, but discussion of which had then had to be deferred.

"The country's foreign trade statement for February, showing imports unchanged from 1913, but exports reduced $20,000,000 has puzzled many observers, who were looking only for some effect of last October's tariff changes.

"It is quite impractical to trace any results of that, the almost total absence of the predicted 'flood of imported merchandise' having now been long continued.

"What the decreased exports seem to show is that the depression on foreign industrial markets has both curtailed outside purchases of our goods and perhaps increased competition in neutral foreign territory, for the decrease is all in other than agricultural shipments.

"The import trade, though little changed from a year ago, is nevertheless the largest of any February on the record; no doubt it would have been larger than it is but for the hesitancy and uncertainty in our own domestic trade.

"The other statement—that of the country's idle railway cars—showed a further notable decrease, 29,000 cars in such sidetracked equipment during the first half of March.

"This is no doubt a favorable indication, especially since the corresponding period a year ago, showed an increase in idle cars and since the total thus left idle in the early months of 1911 reached its highest mark in the second week of March.

"But the present showing would be more clearly satisfactory if one could be sure just how much or how little of the drawing on the idle supply was due to the heavy snow blockades at the end of February."

DETAILED REPORT OF DAY'S WALL STREET TRANSACTIONS

NEW YORK, March 23.—The New Haven dissolution agreement caused an advance of 1¼ in the stock at the opening today, but most of this rise was quickly lost. Union Pacific and Canadian Pacific advanced 1. The tone of the market as a whole was strong and most of the favorite issues were marked up by substantial fractions on the opening transactions.

Speculative sentiment became hopefully disposed again when a brisk demand for the Hill shares lifted Northern Pacific 2 points. Buying all around was more active and broader and the high figures of the forenoon were equaled or passed.

The advance continued with vigor in the late afternoon. It was assisted by rumors of impending favorable developments in the Mexican situation.

The rather poor response which the market made to the New Haven settlement led to professional selling on the initial rise. New Haven lost all of its advance and Lehigh sold a point below Saturday's close. Can and Reading also were distinctively heavy.

Trading came almost to a standstill today and prices barely changed from last week's close after an early rise and subsequent reaction. Settlement of the New Haven negotiations, the decrease in idle freight cars shown in the fortnightly report and an increase in freight movement on Western lines supplied ammunition to the bulls for operations at the opening, but the inquiry was not sufficiently broad to maintain prices.

Traders who covered on the rise late last week put out new lines when it became apparent that the market had lost strength. Copper shares made relatively a better showing than other stocks owing to the increased demand and higher prices for the metal both here and abroad.

Bonds were irregular.

WALL STREET SUMMARY.

The Wall Street's Summary said:

"Special meeting of New Haven stockholders to be called soon to vote on ratification of agreement reached between Department of Justice and representatives of road, over dissolution of system.

"Supreme Court meets at noon.

"Idle cars decreased 29,042 from March 1 to 15.

"C. K. G. Billings, in London, interview, says business outlook in United States is better than anywhere else.

"National Lead reports net earnings of $2,458,306 in last fiscal year, a decrease of $33,947.

"House Committee resumes hearing today on measure to regulate railroad issues of stocks and bonds.

"Net profits of old Standard Oil Co. in 1913, estimated at $120,000,000, compared with $180,000,000 prior to dissolution.

"Premier Asquith says that no action against Ulster or individual leaders is contemplated.

New York Stock Quotations

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by G. H Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street.

NEW YORK, March 23.

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	23⅝	23⅝	23⅜	23½
Amalgamated Copper	76⅝	77¼	76¼	76⅝
Am. Beet Sugar	23½	24¼	23½	24¼
Am. Can com.	30¼	30⅝	29½	30⅛
Am. Can pfd.	92½	.....	.....	92½
Am. C. & F. Co. com.	52¼	52⅝	52	52⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	44½	45	44¼	44⅞
American Ice	31⅜	31⅝	31⅛	31⅝
Am. Loco. com.	35	35⅝	35	35⅝
Am. Smelting com.	70⅝	71	69⅞	70⅝
American Snuff	164	.....	.....	164
American Sugar	100	.....	.....	100
American Telephone	122¼	122⅞	122	122⅝
American Tobacco	254	256	254	254
An. Copper	36¼	36⅝	36¼	36¾
Atchison com.	97⅞	98⅞	97⅞	98⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	123½	123½	123	123½
B. & O.	91¼	92⅛	90⅝	92⅛
Beth. Steel com.	44	44	43¾	44
B. R. T.	92¼	92½	92⅛	92⅜
Cal. Petro.	27⅝	27⅝	27½	27⅝
Can. Pacific	208⅜	209½	208	209⅝
Cen. L. com.	36	36⅞	36	36⅝
C. & O.	54	54¼	53½	54
Chi. G.-W.	13	13⅝	13	13⅝
C., M. & St. P. com.	99⅜	.....	.....	.....
Chicago Northwest	134¼	135	134½	135
Chino Copper	42¼	42⅜	42⅛	42⅝
Colorado F. & I.	33⅜	33⅜	33	33½
Consolidated Gas	134¼	134½	134	134½
Corn Prod. Ref. com.	11⅞	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝
Delaware & Hudson	149⅞	150	149⅞	150
D. & R. G. com.	12½	.....	.....	12½
D. & R. G. pfd.	22½	.....	.....	22½
Erie com	30¼	30½	29⅞	30⅜
Erie 1st pfd	46¼	46½	45⅞	46⅜
Gen. Motor com	75	75⅝	75	75⅝
Gen. Motor pfd	92⅜	.....	.....	92⅜
*G. Northern Ore	37	37⅛	36½	36⅞
G. Northern pfd	126⅞	128⅞	126¼	128⅛
Guggenheim	56⅜	57⅛	56½	57⅛
Illinois Central	111	.....	.....	111
Interboro Met. com.	15	15¼	15	15¼
Interbor Met. pfd.	60	60¼	60	60¼
Int. Harvester	105	106½	105	106¼
K. C. Sou. com.	25¾	.....	.....	25⅞
K. C. Sou. pfd.	60	.....	.....	60
Lehigh Valley Ry.	147⅝	149¼	146⅞	149
Loose-Wiles com.	34	.....	.....	34
L. & N.	138	138½	138	138½
Mex. Pet.	69	69⅝	68½	69⅝
Miami Copper	24	24⅛	24	24⅛
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	128¼	.....	.....	128¼
M. K. & T. com.	18	18⅝	18	18⅝
M. K. & T. pfd.	46	46	45⅞	46
Mo. Pac.	24⅞	25¼	24½	25¼
National Lead com.	49⅜	.....	.....	49⅜
Nevada Consolidated	15⅞	.....	.....	15⅞
New York Central	90½	92	90¼	91⅝
N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	71	71	69⅝	70¼
N. Y., O. & W.	29	.....	.....	29
Norfolk & Western	103⅜	104	103⅜	104
North American	74½	74⅞	74½	74⅞
Northern Pacific	113¼	115¼	113¼	115⅛
Pacific Mail	25⅛	25½	25⅜	25½
Pennsylvania	112	112½	111⅝	112¼
People's Gas	124⅜	124⅜	124½	124½
Pittsburg Coal pfd.	92⅜	93	92	92½
P. S. Car com.	45	45	44⅜	44⅜
Pullman Co.	152⅜	152½	152⅜	152½
Ray Consolidated	21⅞	22¼	21⅞	22
Reading com.	166⅛	167⅛	165⅛	166⅞
Rep. I. and S. com.	25½	26	25½	26
Rep. I. and S. pfd.	89½	.....	.....	89½
Rock Island com	4⅞	4⅞	4⅜	4⅜
Rock Island pfd.	6⅜	6⅜	6½	6⅜
Rumely com.	12	12	10¼	10½
Rumely pfd.	30½	30⅜	28⅛	28⅛
St. L. & S. F. com.	3	.....	.....	3
Sloss-Shef.	31¼	.....	.....	31¼
Sou. Pac.	95⅜	96¼	95	95⅞
Sou. Ry. com.	26¼	26⅜	25⅞	26⅛
Tenn. Copper	35½	35⅜	35⅝	35⅝
Texas Oil Co.	147¾	148¼	147	147¾
Texas Pac.	164	164	162	162
Third Av.	43⅞	44½	43⅞	44½
U. P. Com.	159½	160½	158⅞	159¾
U. Ry. Inv. com.	20	21	20	21
U. S. Rubber	62	62⅛	61¾	62
U. S. Steel com.	64⅞	65⅜	64	65
U. S. Steel pfd	110⅜	110⅜	110¼	110¼
Utah Copper	55⅞	56	55⅜	55⅞
Virginia-C. C. C.	34⅜	34⅜	33½	34
Wabash pfd	6⅜	6⅜	6⅛	6⅛
Western Maryland	30½	.....	.....	30½
Western Union	68⅝	.....	.....	.....
Westinghouse	77½	77⅝	76½	76½
Woolworth com	99	.....	.....	99

*Ex-rights.
Sales to 2 p. m., 237,200 shares.

NEW YORK BOND SALES

10,000 N. Y. City Ry 5s.........at 61⅝
5,000 Lake Shore 4s.........at 92¼
6,000 So. Pac. cv. w. i. 5s.........at 101⅜
10,000 N. Y. Tel. 4½s.........at 97⅛
6,000 Union cv. 4s.........at 90⅝
1,000 N. Y. City 3½s (1954).........at 86½
1,000 Western Elec. 5s.........at 101½
1,000 So. Pac. fd. 4s.........at 92½
1,000 B. R. T. 5s (1916).........at 99⅜
10,000 Ind. Steel 5s.........at 101½
1,000 R. I. 5s.........at 70
3,000 B. & O. cv. 4½s.........at 92⅛
8,000 N. Y. Haven 6s.........at 110
3,000 Penn. cv. 3½s.........at 98¾
5,000 R. I. 4s.........at 39
3,000 R. I. Fd. 4s.........at 74
6,000 Third Av. 4s.........at 84¼
4,000 N. Y. City 4½s (1963).........at 106⅛
1,000 So. Pac. cv. 4s.........at 87⅛
1,000 U. S. Gov. 4s.........at 113¼
10,000 Wis. Cen. 4½s.........at 72¾
4,000 N. Y. City 4s (1959).........at 97½
10,000 Ray. Con. 6s.........at 116¼
2,000 Rock Island 4s.........at 38¾
5,000 Sou. Pac. cv. w. i. 5s.........at 101⅜
5,000 K. C. Sou. 5s.........at 96½
5,000 St. P. cv. 4½s.........at 100⅞
1,000 C., B. & Q. 4s.........at 97⅛
5,000 B. & O. cv. 4½s.........at 92¼
5,000 Armour 4½s.........at 92⅞
2,000 N. Y. City 4½s, 1963.........at 106
3,000 Dis. 5s.........at 65
5,000 Toledo 4s.........at 52
1,000 Wis. Central 4½s.........at 72¾
10,000 Lake Shore 4s.........at 92¼
2,000 Beth. Steel.........at 87½
10,000 N. Y. City 4½s.........at 101⅛
10,000 Third Av. 4s.........at 84¼
4,000 Mo. Pacific 4s.........at 59⅛
10,000 Atchison cv. 4s.........at 97⅜
1,000 Sou. Ry. 4s.........at 74⅝
1,000 Sou. Pacific 5s.........at 104⅜
2,000 Westinghouse cv. 5s.........at 94¼
6,000 Mo. Pacific cv.........at 71½
5,000 Cen. Lake Shore 3½s.........at 82¼
2,000 R. I. 4s.........at 38¼
10,000 Lake Shore 4s.........at 92¼
1,000 C. & O.........at 83
10,000 Toledo 4s.........at 52
5,000 Cen. Leather 5s.........at 99⅜
5,000 C., B. & Q. 4s.........at 97¼
10,000 Atl. C. L. 4s.........at 93¼
5,000 Chicago G. W. 4s.........at 74
10,000 Armour 4½s.........at 92¾
3,000 So. Ry. 4s.........at 74⅝
10,000 R. I. 5s.........at 69⅞
1,000 Atchison cv. 4s (1960).........at 97½
8,000 So. Ry. 4s.........at 74⅝
2,000 Int. Met. 4½s.........at 77
1,000 Norfolk cv. 4½s.........at 103⅝
1,000 Pac. T.-T. 5s.........at 97⅞
2,000 So. Pac. cv. w. i. 5s.........at 101¼
1,000 B. & O. cv.........at 92¼
5,000 Third Av. 4s.........at 84¼
5,000 Union cv. 4s.........at 90⅞
1,000 N. Y. City 4s (1956).........at 96½
3,000 B. & O. cv. 4½s.........at 92¼
10,000 N. Y. Tel. 4½s.........at 97¼
3,000 N. Y. City 4½s (1963).........at 106¼
10,000 Chi. G. W. 4s.........at 74⅜
4,000 Nor. Pac. 4s.........at 95¼
5,000 C. B. & Q. 4s.........at 97⅛
1,000 Lk. Steel 5s, 1950.........at 74
25,000 So. Pac. cv. w. i. 5s.........at 101¼
5,000 Third Av. aj. 5s.........at 83½
10,000 Frisco gen. 5s.........at 49
5,000 R. I. fd. 4s.........at 74
4,000 Colo. Sou. 4s.........at 91½
10,000 C. & O. cv.........at 83
4,000 Ore. Short 5s.........at 107⅝
6,000 Cen. Leather 5s.........at 99½
3,000 Toledo 4s.........at 52½
25,000 Rubber 6s.........at 103
5,000 United Ry. of Frisco 4s.........at 57¼
2,000 Union 4s.........at 97
1,000 So. Pac. fd. 5s.........at 92⅝
13,000 Third Av. 4s.........at 84⅜
2,000 Nor. Pac. 3s.........at 68¼
3,000 B. R. T. 5s, 1959.........at 99⅜
1,000 N. Y. City 4s, 1959.........at 97½
10,000 St. P. cv. 4½s.........at 101
2,000 N. Y. City Ry. 5s.........at 61⅜
10,000 B. R. T. 4s.........at 91½

NEW YORK CURB CLOSE.

Specially reported for the Post-Dispatch by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street.

NEW YORK, March 23.

DESCRIPTION.	Bid.	Asked.
Am. L. and T. com.	363	367
do pfd.	107	109
Brit.-American Tob.	23	23½
Brown Shoe com	48	53
do pfd	90	96
Cities Service	95	97
do pfd	74	76
Emerson-Brantingham	20	30
do pfd	70	80
Havana Tobacco com.	3	5
do pfd.	8	12
Houston Oil com.	16	16½
do pfd	55	60
Lehigh Valley Coal Sales	160	170
Otis Elevator	78½	80
do pfd	96½	97¼
Pierce Oil	104	107
Anglo-American	18	18¼
Standard Oil (old)	1506	.....
do (new)	420	422
do (subs)	1080	.....
Willys-Overland	66	67
do pfd.	89	93
American Cigars	140	148
United Cigar Stores com.	93⅝	94½
do pfd.	112	115

London Money.

LONDON, March 23.—Consols for money, 75 5-16; for account, 75 5-16. Bar silver, steady, 26 13-16d. Money, 2½@2¾. Short bills, 2¼; three months, 2 1-16.

Stock Firm Elects Officers.

Officers of the Altheimer & Rawlings Investment Co., St. Louis, elected to serve during the ensuing year, are: Benjamin Altheimer, president; Mark C. Steinberg, vice-president; Henry Nicolaus, second vice-president; Louis J. Nicolaus, treasurer; Oscar H. Wibbing, secretary.

RAILWAYS PFD. IS HIGHER ON GOOD DEMAND

Price Gains One Point on Active Transfers at $39.50; Other Shares Steady.

United Railways preferred stock featured the trade at the early session of the local Stock Exchange Monday. The price rose a full point on the transfer of 103 shares at $39.25 to $39.50, and closing bids were at the latter figure, with offers at $39.75. Railways 4s were ¼ point higher on bids at $70.50 and offers at $70.75. The common stock was unchanged at $11.50 bid and $12 asked.

No sales were recorded in the bank and trust list, but the range of quotations established on the favorite shares showed a steady range.

The miscellaneous list also reflected a limited speculative demand. Bonds were steady on the issues mentioned.

National Bank of Commerce sold at $126.50 at the second session and Railways 4s at $70.75. Other issues were about steady.

St. Louis Money Market.

Purchasers of commercial paper by local banks and trust companies was somewhat subdued again today, although there was a fair demand from the usual outlying institutions.

Nonresident bankers were prominently identified with the orders which developed during the course of business for three and four months' paper at 4½ per cent, and six months' obligations at 4¾ per cent, and at 5 per cent on names not so well known. Deposits generally are showing a slight gain over the totals at the beginning of the month.

MORNING SESSION.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Nat'l Bank of Commerce	126	127½
State National Bank	197	.....
Bankers' Trust	.....	192
State National Bank	197	.....
Mercantile Trust	331	.....
Title Guaranty Trust	70½	71
United Railways com	11½	12
do pfd	39½	39¾
do 4s	70½	70¾
St. L. & Sub. 1st 5s	.....	100
do Gen'l 5s	.....	84½
Lindell Railway 4½s	96½	.....
Union Depot 6s	102½	.....
Southern Elec. Ry. 6s	100¾	.....
do 5s	99⅝	.....
E. St. L. & Sub. 5s	94¼	95
Laclede Gas pfd	95¼	95½
Missouri Edison 5s	99¼	99½
K. C. H. Tel. 5s ($500) L. D.	.....	88
do 5s ($100)	.....	92½
Am. Credit Indemnity	105	.....
Cent. Coal & Coke com.	82	.....
Chi. Ry. Equip.	84⅝	86
Ely Walker D. G. 1st pfd.	104	.....
Nat. Candy 1st pfd.	98¼	.....
do 2d pfd.	77	.....
do com.	8½	.....
St. L. Cotton Compress	39¼	39½
Wagner Elec. Mfg.	.....	137
Int. Shoe com.	92½	94
do pfd.	105	.....
Granite Bi-Metallic	.....	26½
St. L. Brew. Ass'n 6s	100	100¼

REGULAR SESSION.

5 United Railways preferred at 38½.
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10 St. Louis Cottom Compress at 39½
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10 St. Louis Cotton Compress at 39½.
10 St. Louis Cotton Compress at 39½.
25 St. Louis Cotton Compress at 39½.
3 United Railway preferred at 39¼.
5 United Railways preferred at 39.
5 United Railway preferred at 39.
10 United Railway preferred at 39¼.
10 Laclede Gas preferred at 95¼.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
AFTERNOON SESSION—MARCH 23.

	Bid.	Asked.
Nat. Bank of Com.	126½	.....
State Nat. Bank	197	.....
Third Nat. Bank	253	.....
Bankers Trust	.....	192
St. L.-Union Trust	390	.....
United Rys. com.	11½	11¾
do pfd.	39¼	39⅝
do 4s	70⅝	70¾
St. L. & Sub. Gen. 5s	.....	84½
Lindell Ry. 4½s	96½	.....
Union Depot 6s	102½	.....
E. St. L. & Sub. 5s	94	95
Lac. Gas 1st 5s	101½	.....
Mo. Edison 5s	99¼	99½
K. C. H. Tel. 5s ($500) l. d.	.....	88
do 5s ($100)	.....	92½
Cent. Coal & Coke pfd.	79	.....
do com.	82	.....
Chi. Ry. Equipment	.....	86
Nat. Candy 2d pfd.	77	.....
do com.	8½	.....
St. L. Cotton Compress	39¼	39½
Int. Shoe com.	.....	94
do pfd.	105	106¼
Granite Bi-Metallic	25	27½
St. L. Brew. Ass'n 6s	100	100¼
City of St. L. 4s 1918	100	.....

BETWEEN SESSIONS.

2 Central Coal and Coke common at 82¼.

REGULAR SESSION.

$1000 United Railways 4s at 70⅝.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 70¾.
10 United Railways preferred at 39¼.
10 United Railways preferred at 39½.
2 United Railways preferred at 39.
10 Title Guaranty Trust at 70¼.
15 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
15 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
10 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
15 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
10 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
15 National Bank of Commerce at 126½.
15 Mississippi Valley Trust at 280.
100 Granite-Bimetallic at 25.
100 Granite-Bimetallic at 25.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Reported daily by the Altheimer & Rawlings Inv. Co., 207 N. Broadway.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.

	Bid.	Asked
Brown Shoe Co. com.	48	52
Consumers Bread Co. com.	22	25
do pfd.	67½	70
General Baking Co. com.	11	15
do pfd.	52½	55
Hart Schaffner & Marx com.	40	45
Kaufman Dpt. Stores Co. com	40	48
Manhattan Shirt Co. com.	45	55
*May Dept. Stores Co. com.	63⅝	64½
N. O., Tex. & Mex. div. 5s.	36¼	87¼
St. Joseph Lead	7¼	7½
St. L., R. M. & P. com.	35	40
do pfd.	59	63
*do bonds	79	82½
Scruggs, V. & Barney 1st pfd	80	96
do 2d. pfd.	89	92½
United Gas & Elec. Cor. com.	32	36
do 1st pfd	74	78
do 2d pfd.	31	35
Utah Sec. Corp. 6 pct. notes.	85½	87
do stock	19	21
Willys-Overland Co. com.	.....	67
Baden Bank	125	.....
Broadway Savings Trust	165	170
Cass Av. Bank	195	200
Central National Bank	163	104
Grand Av. Bank	250	.....
Gravois Trust	140	145
Ill. State Trust, E. St. L.	.....	188
Missouri-Lincoln Trust (old)	10	11
New International Bank	200	.....
Savings Trust	124	.....
Union Station Bank	145	.....
Wellston Trust (par value $50)	55	60

*Listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Quotations in some instances nominal.

PREFERRED STOCKS.

Reported daily by the Altheimer & Rawlings Inv. Co., 207 N. Broadway.

	Rate.	Bid.	Asked.
**American Bakery Co.	7	.....	98½
Brown Shoe Co.	7	92	97
**Eisenstadt Mfg. Co.	7	107	.....
Hart Schaffner & Marx Co.	7	105	106
**International Shoe Co.	7	105	.....
Kaufman Dept Stores Co.	7	94	97
Kolb Bakery Co.	7	.....	97
Manhattan Shirt Co.	7	98	104
*May Dept. Stores Co.	7	99	101
**Nat. Candy Co. 1st pfd.	7	99	.....
Willys-Overland Co.	7	89	94

*Listed on the New York Stock Exchange
**Listed on the St. Louis Stock Exchange

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS

Reported by the office of Bowman, Cost & Co., Third National Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.

SECURITY.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.
2s registered	1930	98⅝	99
2s coupon	1930	98⅝	99
3s registered	1918	102	103
3s coupon	1918	102	.....
4s registered	1925	112	112⅝
4s coupon	1925	112½	113½
2s Panama	1938	98⅝	.....
3s Panama	1961	101¾	102⅝
3s coupon	1961	102	102⅝

Kansas City Produce.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23.—Butter—Creamery, 25c; firsts, 23c; seconds, 22c; packing, 14c. Eggs—Firsts, 18c; seconds, 17c. Poultry—Hens, 15c; springs, 15c.

COTTON SELLS AT HIGH POINT ON MOVEMENT

NEW YORK, March 23.—The cotton market opened steady today, unchanged to six points higher, with near months relatively firm on over-Sunday buying orders, or renewed covering. Most active positions made new high ground for the movement, but there was a good deal of realizing above 12 cents for July, and prices eased off. Some of the early buying may have been encouraged by reports of fire loss near Bombay, India.

Trading was quieter later, but after selling 4 to 6 points net lower, the market ruled steady and showed rallies of 2 or 3 points shortly after midday.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, March 23.—Cotton—Spot steady; good middling, 7.55d; middling, 7.13d; low middling, 6.73d; sales 10,000, speculation and export 1500. Receipts 11,000. Futures steady.

LIVESTOCK.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., March 23.—Comparative receipts table:

	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Cattle	2,500	2,800	2,000
Hogs	9,000	12,000	9,500
Sheep	1,800	2,000	2,000
Horses and mules	1,700	1,800	1,500

NATIVE CATTLE—The run in this division totaled 1400 head, a light offering. Market supply proved below normal and quality was nothing extra. Buyers went after the offering with a rush and a good strong market ensued. Prices in some cases were a dime higher.

BEEF AND BUTCHER STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
10	1055	$8 10	20	1106	$7 80
10	917	7 65	35	931	7 60
17Ten	1068	7 50	24	850	7 25
7	952	7 00			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
2	455	7 75	2	570	7 75
5	670	7 75	1	900	7 50
6	603	7 50	1	980	7 50
2	562	7 50	1	620	7 25
2	562	7 50	1	620	7 25
3	450	7 25	1	900	7 10

SOUTHERN CATTLE—The quarantine supply today totaled 1100 head. Steers were in fair supply and all on hand were needed by the buyers. Market ruled active, with strong prices prevailing. Forenoon top sales were right at $7.

MISSISSIPPI, GEORGIA, LOUISIANA, FLORIDA, ALABAMA AND TENNESSEE CATTLE.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
33Ala.	846	$6 90	47La.	713	$6 35

HOGS—The week opened with a moderate supply on sale and prices were on a steady basis as a rule, but trading was slow. The top was $8.90 and the bulk went at $8.70@8.80. Best hogs around 200 pounds and over found ready sale to the shippers and city butchers at $8.80 and up, while the mixed and plain kinds went to the packers at $8.50@8.75 and the rough packers at $8.25@8.50. Best grade of lights under 165 pounds sold at $8.40@8.75; fair, $8@8.35; best pigs under 125 pounds, $7.90@8.25; medium, $7.35@7.85, and the common to fair kinds, $6.50@7.25, with some real common ones under $6.50.

MIXED PACKERS AND HEAVY.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Price.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Price.
83	192		$8 90	63	222		$8 85
72	275		8 85	51	236		8 85
24	251		8 80	36	247		8 80
12	255		8 75	46	236		8 75

BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Price.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Price.
16	188		8 90	70	202		8 85
116	168		8 85	83	198		8 85
57	180	40	8 85	75	201	40	8 85
87	188		8 82½	67	190	80	8 80
67	195		8 80	68	100	40	8 75

SHEEP—With moderate supply on sale the market was on a steady basis. Best lambs sold at $7.50@7.85; mutton sheep, $5.50@5.75; stockers and choppers, $4@4.40, and bucks, $5.

HORSES AND MULES—There was a good active trade in the auction this morning and buyers from the East and South were taking liberal supplies.

The mule trade showed no changes from the usual trend of affairs today and those that found outlet went at steady values. Best quality only sellers.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

Heavy draft, extra.........$210@250
Heavy draft, good to choice.........175@200
Eastern chunks, extra quality.........160@200
Eastern chunks, plain.........100@135
Southern horses, extra quality.........125@150
Southern horses, plain.........50@ 75
Choice drivers, with speed.........175@275
Saddlers.........150@250
Plugs.........5@ 20

MULE QUOTATIONS.

16 to 16½ hands.........$150@275
15 to 15½ hands.........100@235
14 to 14½ hands.........65@150
12 to 13½ hands.........50@125
Plugs.........75

Above quotations are extreme high and low range, and top prices refer only to extra choice select mules, carefully sorted, and sold out of dealers' hands.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23.—Hogs—Receipts, 6000. Bulk, $8.55@8.75; heavy, $8.70@8.75; packers and butchers, $8.65@8.75; light, $8.50@8.70; pigs, $7.50@8.

Cattle—Receipts, 8000, including 500 Southerns. Steady to 10c higher; prime fed steers, $8.60@9.25; dressed beef steers, $7.50@8.50; Western steers, $7.25@8.60; Southern steers, $6.50@8.25; cows, $4.35@7.60; heifers, $6.75@9; stockers and feeders, $6.75@8.25; bulls, $6@7.50; calves, $6.50@10.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000. Steady to strong; lambs, $6.90@7.65; yearlings, $6.25@7; wethers, $5.50@6.25; ewes, $5.25@6; stockers and feeders, $3.50@6.50.

Hogs in Demand in the Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Demand for hogs today fairly active and sellers managed to hold prices steady. Shippers were the best buyers. Strength developed in the cattle market, owing to the supply being considerably less plentiful than on the corresponding day a week ago. Sheep and lambs were not over numerous, especially choice grades.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Hogs—Receipts 40,000; steady at Saturday's average; bulk of sales, $8.70@8.80; light, $8.60@8.85; mixed, $8.60@8.85; heavy, $8.40@8.85; rough, $8.40@8.50; pigs, $7@8.65.

Cattle—Receipts 14,000; generally 10c higher; beeves, $7.10@9.60; Texas steers, $7.15@8.25; Western steers, $6.90@8.20; stockers and feeders, $5.65@8.20; cows and heifers, $3.75@8 50; calves, $6@9.

Sheep—Receipts 25,000; mostly 10c higher; native, $4.85@6.40; Western, $5@6.50; yearlings, $5.90@7.15; lambs, native, $6.85@7.90; Western, $6.85@8.

B. & O. EARNINGS.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co.'s statement of earnings and expenses (exclusive of outside operations) for the month of February, 1914, and for eight months of the fiscal year, follows:

FEBRUARY.	1914.	1913.
Operating revenue	$6,336,317	$7,362,870
Operating expenses—		
Maint. of way and struct.	767,931	833,540
Maint. of equipment	987,396	1,433,164
Traffic expenses	150,978	164,848
Transportation expenses	3,094,674	3,169,598
General expenses	185,922	159,316
Total oper. expenses	5,186,901	5,760,466
Net operating revenue	$1,149,416	$1,602,404
EIGHT MONTHS.	1914.	1913.
Operating revenue	$66,286,442	$68,216,212
Operating expenses—		
Maint of way & struct.	8,479,740	9,138,126
Maint. of equipment	10,979,279	12,082,111
Traffic expenses	1,498,497	1,314,490
Transportation expenses	26,414,227	24,630,083
General expenses	1,544,402	1,824,756
Total oper. expenses	48,911,145	48,489,566
Net oper. expenses	$17,375,297	$19,726,646

The foregoing does not include outside operations, which, as estimated, will show a deficit in net in February, 1914, of $85,000, compared with a deficit of $57,344.38 for February, 1913.

QUOTATIONS ON HAY.

Reported by Graham & Martin Grain Co.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.

The hay market steady, offerings moderate, demand good for all grades at firm values.

Choice timothy hay.........$19 50@20 00
No. 1 timothy hay.........17 00@18 50
No. 2 timothy hay.........15 00@16 50
Choice light clover mixed hay.........16 50@17 00
No. 1 light clover mixed hay.........15 00@16 00
No. 2 light clover mixed hay.........13 50@14 50
Heavy clover mixed hay.........14 00@14 50
Choice clover hay.........16 00@16 50
No. 1 clover hay.........14 50@15 50
No. 2 clover hay.........13 00@14 00
Choice prairie hay.........18 00@19 00
No. 1 prairie hay.........16 00@17 00
No. 2 prairie hay.........14 00@15 00
No. 3 prairie hay.........10 00@12 00
Choice alfalfa hay.........18 00@19 00
No. 1 alfalfa hay.........16 50@17 50
No. 2 alfalfa hay.........14 00@16 00
Wheat and oats straw.........5 50@ 6 00

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Butter—Receipts, 3500 tubs; creamery extras, 27¼@28c; firsts, 25@27c; seconds, 23@24½c; held extras, 24¼@25c; firsts, 21@23c; seconds, 18½@20c; process extras, 20@21c; factory current make firsts, 19c; seconds, 18c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 15½@16c. Cheese steady; receipts, 1400 boxes; State, whole milk held, white specials, 19c; colored, 19¼c; white, average fancy, 18¼@18⅝c; colored, 18¼@19c; fresh white or colored, 17@17¼c; Wisconsin whole milk daisies, 18¼@19c; twins and flats, 18⅜@19c; skims, 1½@15c. Eggs weaker; receipts, 22,400 cases; fresh gathered extras, 21½@22c; firsts, 20¼@21c; seconds, 19½@20c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, 25@26c; gathered whites, 25c; hennery browns, 22c; mixed colors, 20½@21c. Dressed poultry quiet; fresh-killed Western chickens, 15@24c; fowls, 14@18c; turkeys, 18@20c.

CORN FUTURES ADVANCE OVER ONE CENT A BUSHEL

Strong Cash Market Is a Big Factor in the Upturn—Wheat Also Is Firm—Oats Score Gains.

MONDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.

Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close Saturday	Close Last Year.
MAY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	92¼	92⅜@⅞	92¼	92⅝b	92⅜a	89⅝a
Chicago	93⅝-¼-⅝	93⅞	93¼	93⅝	93⅝@½a	90⅞b
New York	101⅞	102¼	101⅞	102¼@½	102	.....
Kansas City	87@86⅞	87¼@⅜	86⅞	87@87¼b	87⅛b	⅞@86a
Minneapolis	91⅛	91½	91@91½	91¼@⅜a	91¼	88¾a
Toledo	99⅝	100½	99⅞	100⅜	99⅝	100⅞
JULY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	85⅜	86½	85⅜	86¼b	⅞@86a	88⅛a
Chicago	88⅜@⅝	89¼@⅜	88⅝	89b	88⅝b	90¼@½
Kansas City	83⅛	83⅜	83	83⅜@½b	83⅛b	84⅞b
Minneapolis	92½@⅝	93@93¼	92½@⅝	92⅞a	92⅝a	88½b
Toledo	90⅝	91⅝	90⅝	91¼	90⅞	93⅞
SEPTEMBER WHEAT.						
St. Louis	86¾	86⅝	86¾	86⅜	86½a	88a
Chicago	88⅛@¼	88⅜	88⅛	88½@⅝a	88⅛b	89⅝@¾
Kansas City	83⅛	83⅝@⅝	83⅛	83¼@⅝b	83¼@⅝b	84
Minneapolis	89⅛b	89⅝@½	89	89⅛@¼	89⅛a	88⅝@⅞
Toledo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92⅞
MAY CORN.						
St. Louis	70½	72⅛	70½	71⅝@⅞a	70⅞b	53⅝@½b
Chicago	68⅞@¾	70¼	68⅝	69⅞a	68⅞@69b	53⅝@⅞
Kansas City	69⅝	70⅝	69¼	70⅝@½a	69½@⅝a	52⅝b
JULY CORN.						
St. Louis	70½	72⅛	70⅝@¼a	71⅝@⅞a	70⅞a	54½b
Chicago	68¾@⅝	70⅜	68½@⅝	69⅞@70a	68⅝@⅞	54⅞b
Kansas City	70¼	71⅞	70⅛@¼	71⅝b	70⅝@½a	53⅞a
SEPTEMBER CORN.						
St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	69¾a	68⅝@¼b	55⅛b
Chicago	67⅞@⅝	69⅝	67¼	69a	67⅝@⅞b	55⅞a
Kansas City	68	69⅝@⅜	67⅞	69¼@¼a	68⅛a	54⅛a
MAY OATS.						
St. Louis	39¾	40⅛b	39⅝	40	39⅞	33a
Chicago	39¾-⅞@⅝-¾	40½	39⅝@¾	40¼b	-⅞-40a	33¾@⅞b
JULY OATS.						
St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	39⅝b	39⅝a	34a
Chicago	39⅞@¾	40⅜	39¾	40⅛a	40a	33¾@⅞a
SEPTEMBER OATS.						
St. Louis	37¾	37⅝	37¾	37¾	37½n	.....
Chicago	37⅞	38⅜	37⅝	38½a	38a	33⅝b

Wheat trade was dull and professional Monday. Liverpool cables were steady and world's wheat shipments totaled only 11,968,000 bu, against 13,408,000 bu last week and 12,776,000 bu last year. Wheat on passage, however, increased 1,988,000 bu, and totals 50,072,000 bu, against 47,712,000 bu last week and 59,632,000 bu last year.

Ample world's shipments, continued favorable European crop advices and increasing stocks in Liverpool served to offset the effect of comparative steadiness in Winnipeg on Saturday and opening values in Liverpool were unchanged. During the morning the market was very dull with no price changes. Plate offers are firmer, as well as Australian, but America and Russia are taking care of the bulk of the demand.

Liverpool corn opened ¼d lower for July, and this option further declined ⅛d during the morning. Near positions are strong, on the light world's shipments. Firmness in spot and decreasing local stocks, but distant positions are easy with freer Plate offers and fine weather in Argentine.

The movement of wheat in the Northwest was fair. Minneapolis had 503 cars, against 341 last week and 438 last year. Duluth 28, against 48 and 39. Winnipeg 196, against 129 and 469. Minneapolis wheat stocks decreased 125,000 bu for 7 days.

Corn shorts run to cover, despite easy cables, and prices jumped over 1 cent. A strong cash demand caused the upturn. Oats were also higher.

Liverpool weekly stocks of wheat increased 175,000 bu and corn decreased 78,000 bu. Wheat stocks this week are 2,605,000 bu and corn 2,268,000 bu.

Liverpool wheat futures closed unchanged; corn ½d lower. Paris, wheat unchanged to ½c higher; flour unchanged to 1c lower. Antwerp, wheat unchanged; Berlin unchanged; Budapest, 1c up.

Crop Expert B. W. Snow wired:

"I have a letter this morning from one of the oldest and best known cash grain handlers in Winnipeg, in which he discusses the moisture situation in Northwest Canada as follows:

"'In October and November, and up until Christmas, dry winds scorched the surface of the land and left it dry. First snow came the day after Christmas, but not enough for sleighing until near the end of January. Since the last week of February days have been bright and glaring, typical dry weather. Snow is all gone and the drying March winds are again searching the surface of the land.'"

The domestic wheat visible decreased 1,677,000 bu for the week; corn 187,000 bu, oats 145,000 bu.

Total visible shows:

	Today.	Last Year.
Wheat	54,707,000	58,996,000
Corn	20,081,000	21,494,000
Oats	20,670,000	13,115,000

	Last Week.	Last Year
Wheat, inc.	5,000	Dec. 1,490,000
Corn, inc.	1,142,000	Dec. 1,166,000
Oats, dec.	762,000	Inc. 192,000

World's wheat shipments detailed:

COUNTRY.	Last Wk.	Prev. Wk.	Last Yr.
America	4,036,000	4,440,000	3,688,000
Russia	2,228,000	2,792,000	1,296,000
Danube	1,376,000	1,288,000	768,000
India	.....	64,000	176,000
Argentina	1,496,000	1,776,000	4,968,000
Australian	2,640,000	2,744,000	1,800,000
Various	172,000	304,000	80,000
Totals	11,968,000	13,408,000	12,776,000
Corn—			
America	43,000	60,000	1,625,000
Russia	323,000	204,000	366,000
Danube	638,000	655,000	145,000
Argentina	554,000	493,000	808,000
Total	1,558,000	1,412,000	2,944,000

Fort William and Port Arthur stocks of wheat are 11,418,000; last week, 10,950,000; last year, 13,606,000. In vessels not included in above: Wheat, 4,083,000; last year, 7,397,000.

A Texas wire said: "We have but little wheat in this country, but what there is is in need of rain. Otherwise it is in good condition. Corn is coming up nicely, especially where the ground was well prepared, but a little rain would be very welcome. There is still some old corn in farmers' hands, but they will not sell until the new crop is assured."

Local wheat receipts were 96,000 bu, or 70 cars local, 10 through; last year, 125,150 bu, or 1200 sacks, 56 cars local, 44 through. Corn receipts, 122,400 bu, or 94 cars local, 8 through; last year, 54,000 bu, or 34 cars local, 11 through. Oats receipts, 144,500 bu, or 62 cars local, 21 through; last year, 52,700 bu, or 25 cars local, 6 through.

Clearances: Wheat, 314,000 bu; corn, 21,000; oats, 60,000; flour, 27,000; wheat and flour, 436,000.

Chicago wheat cars were 24; corn, 52; oats, 79. Estimated Tuesday: Wheat, 58; corn, 215; oats, 57.

St. Louis cash wheat closed steady on soft and ½c up for hard.

Cash corn, 1c to 2c up on a good demand for selections, but ordinary stock steady.

Cash oats ½c lower, with the demand good.

Quote No. 2 red wheat, 94@95½c; No. 2 hard, 92@93½c; No. 3 hard, 91@93c n.

Quote No. 2 corn, 71c; No. 3 corn, 67½@69c; No. 4 corn, 66@67c; no grade, 50c; No. 2 yellow, 71½c; No. 3 yellow, 67½@70c; No. 4 yellow, 66½@67½c; No. 2 white, 71@71½c; No. 3 white, 67@70c; No. 4 white, 66@67c n.

Quote No. 2 oats, 39½@40c n; No. 3 oats, 39 cn. No. 2 white, 41½c; standard, 40¾@41c; No. 3 white, 39½@40c; No. 4 white, 38½@39½c; No. 2 rye, 64c n.

Primary Receipts and Shipments

Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.

RECEIPTS.	Wheat	Corn	Oats
St. Louis	96,000	122,000	145,000
Chicago	66,000	169,000	204,000
Minneapolis	609,000	102,000	106,000
Kansas City	67,000	209,000	102,000
Milwaukee	11,000	37,000	106,000
Duluth	48,000	3,000	14,000
Omaha	47,000	250,000	77,000
Toledo	5,000	12,000	.....
Peoria	2,000	65,000	41,000
Indianapolis	4,000	34,000	15,000
Detroit	3,000	23,000	5,000
Total primary	958,000	1,126,000	812,000

SHIPMENTS.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
St. Louis	61,000	19,000	64,000
Chicago	66,000	145,000	173,000
Minneapolis	92,000	55,000	102,000
Kansas City	62,000	130,000	43,000
Milwaukee	10,000	23,000	35,000
Duluth	1,000	.....	3,000
Omaha	11,000	115,000	75,000
Toledo	.....	7,000	5,000
Peoria	2,000	21,000	51,000
Indianapolis	.....	20,000	8,000
Detroit	1,000	7,000	3,000
Total primary	306,000	542,000	562,000

Chicago Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 93@95½c; No. 3 red, 93¼@94½c; No. 2 hard, 93@93½c; No. 3 hard, 92¼@92⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 94⅝@95c; No. 3 Northern, 93¼@94½c; No. 2 spring, 94@95c; No. 3 spring, 93¼@94½c. Corn—No. 2, 68¼@69c; No. 2 yellow, 69¼@70c; No. 3, 65¼@68c; No. 3 white, 67¼@69c; No. 3 yellow, 66@69c. Oats—No. 2 white, 41c; No. 3 white, 39¼@40¼c; standard, 40⅝@41¼c. Rye—No. 3, 60c. Barley, 49@66c. Timothy, $3@4.50. Clover, $9@14. Pork, $21.60; lard, $10.67½; ribs, $11.87@11.50.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
PORK.				
May	$21.62	$21.67	$21.57	$21.60
July	21.67	21.67	21.62@65	21.62-65
LARD.				
May	10.72	10.82@85	10.72	10.80
July	10.95	11.02	10.95	11.00a
RIBS.				
May	11.47	11.52	11.45	11.47b
July	11.60	11.67	11.60	11.65a

Sugar Market Steady.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Raw sugar, steady; molasses, 2.86c; centrifugal, 3.01c. Refined, steady; cut loaf, 5.05c; crushed, 4.95c; mold A, 4.60c; cubes, 4.15c; xxxx powdered, 4.05c; powdered, 4c; fine granulated, 3.90c; diamond A, 3.90c; confectioners' A, 3.80c; No. 1, 3.65c.

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23	34	64	46
24	28	55	—
25	37	38	—
26	46	28	—
27	43	27	—
28	48	40	—

MARCH 23 THOUGHT.
I shall pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.—Hegeman.

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DEATHS
Death notices, first 8 lines or less, $1; each extra line 15c; memoriams, etc., 20c per line.

BATHKE—On Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 10:30 a. m., Paul Bathke, beloved son of Carl Bathke, our dear brother-in-law and nephew, at the age of 26 years 3 months and 6 days.
Funeral Wednesday, March 25, 1914, at 2 p. m., from the family residence, 3527 N. Twenty-third street, to Frieden Cemetery. (c)

BEYER—Entered into rest on Monday, March 23, at 1:35 a. m., Edith Beyer, beloved daughter of Charles and Anna Beyer (nee Leroy), dear sister of Florence Beyer, our dear niece and grandchild, age 1 year 6 months.
Funeral from residence, 1939 Montgomery street, Tuesday, March 24, at 2 p. m. Interment private. (c)

BISHOP—Passed on to eternal life on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 8:50 p. m., Margarete Bishop (nee Hottes), dearest mother of Julia E. Guido and Rose (nee Hardt), at the age of 68 years and 10 months.
Funeral from residence, 3325 Halliday avenue, Tuesday, March 24, at 2 p. m., to Valhalla Cemetery. Strictly private. Motor. (c)

BLYTHE—Monday morning, March 23, 1914, at residence, 4505 Washington boulevard, George C. Blythe.
Funeral at Moberly, Mo.

BLUMENTHAL—At Chicago, Ill., on Saturday, March 21, 1914, Gustave Blumenthal, dearly beloved husband of Stella Blumenthal (nee Jacobs) and son-in-law of Mrs. Frances Jacobs, at the age of 44 years.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, at 10 a. m., from the Isaac-Rindskopf chapel, 435 N. Euclid avenue, to Mount Sinai Cemetery. Motor. (c)

BOHNENKAMP—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 8 a. m., Henry Bohnenkamp, beloved husband of Anna Bohnenkamp (nee Ahring), and our dear son-in-law and brother-in-law, aged 46 years.
Funeral from residence, 1929 North Market street, Wednesday, March 25, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. (c2)

BRAUN—Suddenly, on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 7:15 a. m., Joseph Braun, beloved husband of Minnie Braun (nee Mueller), dear son of Caroline Braun and our dear father, brother and brother-in-law, aged 49 years 11 months and 4 days.
Funeral Wednesday, March 25, at 2 p. m., from residence, 4408 S. Grand avenue.
Deceased was a member of American Lodge No. 8, O. M. P., and Order of Foresters High Court of Missouri No. 136. (c)

BUETER—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 1:30 p. m., Frederick W. Bueter, beloved son of Anna Bueter, and our dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 37 years.
Funeral Wednesday, March 25, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 3930 North Eleventh street. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Mount Moriah Lodge No. 40, A. F. and A. M.; Royal Arch Chapter No. 25; St. Louis Commandery, Moolah Temple, Mystic Shrine No. 1, and Florence Lodge No. 409, B. P. O. Elks. (c2)

DAVIDSON—Entered into rest Monday, March 23, 1914, at 7:20 a. m., Oda Pearl Davidson (nee Smith), dearly beloved wife of Edgar G. Davidson, dear mother of Edgar Gary Davidson and Charles Learue Boehner, dear sister of Mrs. J. S. McDonough, Mrs. Loretta Lampard and Walter Smith, and our dear daughter.
Funeral Wednesday afternoon, March 25, at 2 o'clock, from residence, 3007 Easton avenue, to Valhalla Cemetery. Friends invited. Motor. (c2)

DEHLER—Entered into rest Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 3 p. m., Edward R. Dehler, beloved husband of Julia Dehler (nee Kindler), father of Dorothy Dehler, and our son, brother and brother-in-law.
Funeral from residence of his father, 616 East Fourth street, Belleville, Ill., Thursday, March 26.
Belleville (Ill.) papers please copy. (2)

DORSEY—On Sunday, March 22, 1914, Fannie Harris Dorsey, darling daughter of Elizabeth Dorsey (nee Blundell) and the late Frederick Dorsey, sister of Mabel Wright and Edna M. Dorsey.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, at 2 p. m., from home of sister, Mrs. H. E. Wright, 4153A Cleveland avenue. Burial private. Motor.

EIKHOFF—Entered into rest Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 5:45 p. m., George Eikhoff, beloved brother of Mrs. Lizzie Meisel (nee Eikhoff) and Ernest Eikhoff, after a brief illness, at the age of 42 years.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Lizzie Meisel, 3155A East Fair avenue, to Friedens Cemetery. (c1)

FRANCIS—Suddenly, at Midland, Tex., March 21, 1914, Percy C. Francis, beloved husband of Alma Francis (nee Woodall), father of Katherine Houston, and son of Thomas Francis and the late Annie Francis, brother of Mrs. W. Y. Brown and Mrs. C. H. Norman, Mrs. J. F. Feeney, A. J. Francis and J. D. Francis, aged 25 years. (c)

GAILEY—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 5:05 p. m., Sabina Gailey (nee Fee Fee), beloved mother of Frank Gailey and Mrs. Dolly McLaughlin (nee Burns).
Funeral will take place from residence, 3014 Lambdin avenue, on Tuesday, March 24, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Matthew's Church. Funeral strictly private. (c)

HANNEBAUM—Entered into rest at Los Angeles, Cal., Francis Hannebaum.
Due notice of funeral in St. Louis will be given. (c)

DEATHS

GERWINER—Entered into rest Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 4:20 p. m., suddenly, Henry C. Gerwiner, beloved son of Henry J. and Minnie Gerwiner (nee Accola), dear brother of Verna Gerwiner, our dear grandchild and our dear nephew, aged 11 years.
Funeral on Wednesday, March 25, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 4355 Clayton avenue, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. (c2)

GUNN—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, at 5:45 p. m., Lulu Gunn (nee Beyer), beloved wife of William L. Gunn, beloved daughter of Anna Beyer and the late Herman Beyer, dear sister of Emma Egbert, Bertha Althoff and Laura Henninger (nee Beyer, dear sister-in-law and aunt, after a lingering illness, aged 27 years.
Funeral from residence, 2226 Bremen avenue, March 25, at 1:30 p. m. (c2)

HEERMANN—Asleep in Jesus, Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 10:15 a. m., Wilhelmina Heermann (nee Westholt), beloved wife of Frederick Heermann, mother of William and Clarence Heermann, daughter of Mrs. Wilhelmina Westholt, sister of Mrs. H. W. Buecker (nee Westholt), sister-in-law of Lena and Minnie Heermann, and our dear niece and aunt, at the age of 48 years and 9 months.
Funeral Wednesday, March 25, at 1 p. m., from residence, 2109 North Twelfth street, to Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Twenty-first and Benton streets, thence to St. John's Cemetery.
Washington (Mo.) papers please copy. (c2)

HORTLEDER—Entered into rest on Monday, March 23, 1914, at 6:20 a. m., Margaret Hortleder (nee Rotchermich), beloved wife of Eugene Hortleder and dear mother of Ruth, Marie and Arthur Hortleder, and our dear daughter and sister, after a lingering illness, at the age of 42 years.
Funeral will take place on Wednesday, March 25, at 8:15 a. m., from the family residence, Hanley and St. Charles Rock road, to Notre Dame Church, thence to Zion's Cemetery.
Wentzville (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

HUNSDORFER—Entered into rest on Monday, March 23, 1914, at 2 a. m., Katherina Hunsdorfer, dear mother of Robert and Charles Hunsdorfer, Mrs. Emma Schilling and Mrs. Julia Bolfing, our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, aged 65 years 4 months and 10 days.
Funeral from family residence, 115 Little Broadway, Luxemburg, Wednesday, March 25, at 2 p. m., to Park Lawn Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (c)

KOEHLER—After a short illness, on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at her home, 3004 Park avenue, Mary Lillian Koehler, beloved daughter of Stephen and Mary Koehler (nee Purcell), and dear sister of Frank, Stephen Jr., Isabelle, Helen, Josephine and Walter Koehler, aged 20 years 2 months and 8 days.
Funeral from the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tuesday, March 24, at 9 a. m. Deceased was a member of St. Rose's Branch No. 137, Knight and Ladies of Honor.

KOCH—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 7:45 p. m., Louis Koch, in his thirty-fifth year, at 2312 South Twelfth street, beloved son of Catherine Koch and the late Anton Koch, and dear brother of Lizzie Koch, Bertha Rothenheber (nee Koch) and Theresa Enger (nee Koch).
Funeral at 8:30 a. m., Tuesday, March 24, to SS. Peter and Paul's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

KOEHN—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 11 p. m., Dorothea Koehn (nee Mewes), dear grandmother of Stella Kollmeier, and our dear aunt, after a lingering illness, at the age of 76 years 4 months and 7 days.
Funeral Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. from residence, 1946 Montgomery street, to St. John's Cemetery. (c2)

LEAR—Entered quietly into rest on Sunday morning, March 22, at 5:30 a. m., Mrs. Ann Sheldon Beach Lear, dear mother of R. H. Lear and mother-in-law of Mrs. Carrie Lear (nee Baldwin), and our dear grandmother, at the age of 84 years. Born in Quoemens, N. Y.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, 1914, from Kirkwood Episcopal Church, at 4 p. m. Interment at Oak Hill Cemetery. (c)

MAGUIRE—On Sunday, March 22, 1914, James M. Maguire, son of Catherine Dougherty Maguire and the late James M. Maguire.
Funeral from residence, 3818 West Pine boulevard, on Tuesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Francis Xavier's (College) Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. (c)

MOELLER—Entered into rest Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 9:45 a. m., Charlotte Moeller (nee Boekelmann), beloved wife of Frederick Moeller, our dear mother and grandmother, after a lingering illness, at the age of 64 years 6 months and 22 days.
Funeral Wednesday, March 25, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 707 Bittner street, to Ebenezer Evangelical Lutheran Church, thence to Black Jack Cemetery. (c)

MYERS—On Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 12 noon, Eleanora Myers, beloved daughter of William and Nellie Myers (nee Aiken), dear sister of Bessie Myers, passed away at their residence, 4667A Greer avenue.
Services at residence, on Tuesday, March 24, at 11 a. m. Interment at Keokuk, Io.
Keokuk (Io.), Seattle (Wash.) and Los Angeles (Cal.) papers please copy.

OECHSLE—Entered into rest Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 2:20 a. m., Charles Oechsle, beloved husband of Lula Oechsle (nee Endsley), brother of Mrs. John Bicket, Mrs. Pauline Kottermann, Lena Klotzbach, Mrs. Emma Schillings and Mrs. Annie Lottmahn, and brother of Adam Oechsle.
Interment in Belleville, Ill., on Tuesday, March 24, at 2:30 p. m.
Belleville papers, please copy. (c)

PRECKEWINKEL—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 11:50 p. m., Caroline Preckewinkel, beloved wife of Ernest Preckewinkel and mother of Katie Heldmann (nee Beimdiek) and Sophia Schillingger (nee Preckewinkel), our dear grandmother.
Funeral from residence, 4214 Kennerly avenue, on Tuesday, March 24, at 1 p. m., to St. John's Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Motor. (c)

ROBINSON—After a short illness on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 12:30 p. m., Henry C. Robinson, beloved husband of Mrs. Emily Robinson (nee Abbott), and dear father of John W., Ella Winhold, Emma Trimble and May Kimbrough, aged 82 years 5 months and 8 days.
Funeral services at residence, Main street, Venice, Ill., Tuesday, March 24, at 7:30 p. m. Interment at Carlyle, Ill., Wednesday morning. (2)

RONAN—On Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 8 p. m., John William Ronan, dearly beloved son of Richard and Rose Ronan (nee Kubik), dear brother of Ellen C. Ronan, and dear grandson of Mrs. Theresa Ronan.
Funeral from family residence, 3834 North Market street, on Tuesday, March 24, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

SHAIPER—Suddenly, on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 1 a. m., Officer William H. Shaiper, dearly beloved husband of Nellie Shaiper (nee Quinn), and our dear son and brother, at the age of 38 years.
Remains will lie in state at family residence, 4002A Florissant avenue, until Tuesday, March 24, 7 a. m. Interment at Carlinville, Ill., Wednesday, March 25. Deceased was a member of Olive Camp No. 11,396, Modern Woodmen of America. (c)

SMITH—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 5:30 p. m., Andrew J. Smith, beloved husband of Mary Smith (nee Corbett), father of Andrew and Mary Smith, brother of Thomas Smith, and our dear brother-in-law and uncle.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2681 Scott avenue, on Wednesday, March 25, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Deceased was a member of Marquette Council No. 1576, Royal Arcanum, and Cement Finishers' Union, Local No. 91. (c)

DEATHS

SUCHMANN—Entered into rest Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 1:20 p. m., Matthias Suchmann, dearly beloved father of Mary Stibal (nee Suchmann), and brother of Katherine Nosky, Theresa Jandos (nee Suchmann), father-in-law of Joseph W. Stibal, and our dear grandfather, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 76 years 3 months 13 days.
Funeral from family residence, 1820 Dolman street, on Tuesday, March 24, 1914, at 8:30 a. m., to St. John Nepomuk's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c)

SUHRKAMP—Entered into rest Sunday, March 22, 1914, Louis B. Suhrkamp.
Remains will be at funeral chapel of William Ambruster, 4234 Manchester avenue. Due notice of funeral will be given. Deceased was a member of Carondelet Lodge No. 114, I. O. O. F., and member of General Relief Committee, I. O. O. F. (c)

THOMAS—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 10:20 p. m., Jessie V. Thomas, in her fortieth year, beloved wife of John P. Thomas.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., from Hetlage's funeral rooms, 907 Chouteau avenue, to Annunciation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

WALSH—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 1:40 p. m., Josephine Walsh (nee Collier), beloved wife of the late William Walsh, mother of Josephine, Leonard, Genevieve and Bernard Walsh, daughter of John L. Collier, and sister of Mary A. Collier.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2207 University street, on Tuesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c)

WALSH—Entered into rest at 12 noon, Monday, March 23, 1914, Richard J. Walsh, beloved husband of Rose Moran Walsh, and father of Josephine and John Walsh, brother of Sister Mary Eugenia of B. V. M. of Kansas City, and Mary Walsh.
Due notice of funeral from family residence, 4399 East Gibson avenue, will be given.
Camden (N. J.) papers please copy.

WELCH—Entered into rest, Saturday, March 21, 1914, at 8:15 p. m., John Welch, dear son of Mary Welch (nee Maher); dear brother of Catherine Spooner and Margaret Hyams (nee Welch); dear brother and uncle, age 37 years.
Funeral from residence, 3600 Paris avenue, Tuesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Rosary Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

WHITE—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 8 p. m., Thomas C. White, husband of Emma T. White (nee Thompson), father of Mrs. Henry N. Baird, Orville K. and Wilbur H. White.
Funeral from residence, 5748 Vernon avenue, on Wednesday, March 25, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.
Lancaster (O.) papers please copy. (c)

WRIGHT—Entered into rest on Sunday, March 22, 1914, at 7 p. m., Henry C. Wright, husband of Lizzie D. Wright, aged 81 years.
Funeral Tuesday, March 24, at 2:30 p. m., from Memorial Home, Grand and Magnolia avenues. Interment private.

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SPECIAL NOTICES
GOLD MILLINERY HAS MOVED TO TAYLOR AND DELMAR. (c8)

COMING EVENTS
EUCHRES
HAND-PAINTED euchre, Tuesday, 3 p. m., 3-handed; 25c. Mrs. Hutton, 1470 Arlington av.

LOST and FOUND
Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

LOST
APRONS—Lost, two large skirt aprons; red initial P. on band; Olive or Taylor cars; reward. 2901 N. Newstead av.
BRACELET—Lost; pearl; in the neighborhood of Grand, Olive, Washington and Vandeventer; reward. Box E-64, P.-D. (c)
BROOCH—Lost; sunburst, with small diamond in center; Saturday, in West End; return to 1943A Arlington av.; liberal reward. Delmar 2798R. (c)
BROOCH—Lost, between Ann and Ohio, on Gravois, or in St. Francis de Sales Church; crescent design, with two sets. Return to 2200 Indiana; reward.
CHAIN—Lost, new 35x5 skid chain for auto. Phone Cabany 197. 623 Clara av.
COLLAR—Lost; black fur; Sunday night, on Cherokee st., between Illinois av. and Vandora Theater. Return to 3415 Illinois, at Zimmermann's, and receive reward.
DOG—Lost; little black cur; Bob; return 2669 Washington; reward. (2)
DOG—Lost; small female Boston bull brindle and white short screw tail; ears stand erect. Return to 5157 Delmar bl.; reward. (c)
DOG—Lost; black and white male collie, license No. 14,697. Reward if returned to 5094 Vernon.
DOG—Lost; Scotch collie; tan and white, reward if returned to 5424 Easton. W. Baker. (c)
ENVELOPE—Lost; if party finding Wytne Eng. Co. envelope on Hodiamont car, Saturday morning, will return same to their office, they will receive reward. Box T-59, Post-Dispatch. (1)
FUR SCARF—Lost; black; Cherokee, between Missouri and Illinois. Return to 3415 Illinois; reward.
FUR COLLAR—Lost; Sunday evening, on Cherokee st., between Vandora Theater and Illinois av.; reward. Zimmerman, 3415 Illinois av.
HANDBAG—Lost: leather, on or near Grand and Hebert, Thursday afternoon. Return to 2554A University st.; Central 8414L. (c)
KEYS—Lost, Tuesday, 17th; name and address on key ring, $1 reward. H. A. Niehaus. (c2)
LAPROBE—Lost, between West Pine and Juniata; reward. Forest 386.
MESH BAG—Lost; Cherokee car; containing baby's postcard and change; reward. 1926 Sidney st.
MESH BAG—Lost; silver; containing keys and working girl's wages, in Grand Central Odeon; reward. 5176 Cates. Monroe 149W. (c)
MONEY—Lost, girl's salary and purse, $10 and passes, 873; reward. Frances Malone, 3342 Semple.
MONEY—Lost, between Chouteau and Talmage, on Vandeventer, $13, by workingman. Finder will please return same to 5626 Roosevelt pl. and receive reward.
MUFF—Lost; black astrakhan; in Grand-Leader, Saturday; reward. Phone Forest 1459. 844 N. King's highway.
MUFF—Lost; large, black, seal skin; Saturday, downtown district; reward. Mrs. E. Rae, Buckingham Hotel. (c)
MUFF—Lost; Sunday; plain mink; near corner Taylor and Laclede. Liberal reward if returned to Mrs. Seemes, 5 S. Taylor.
NECKPIECE—Lost; fur (red fox), prized as gift; lost at Coliseum, Saturday night; reward. 4289 Page. Delmar 2787L.
POCKETBOOK—Lost, containing railroad passes and money; reward. Gisler, 1025 Frisco Bldg.; Main 3390. (c)

LOST AND FOUND
LOST
POCKETBOOK—Lost, between 5600 Etzel and Coliseum, Saturday night, hand pocketbook, containing money; reward. Call Cabany 1549W. 5604A Etzel av. (c)
POCKETBOOK—Lost, out of handbag; small, with $3.05, gold rimmed glasses and 1½ yards of hand-made lace; on Cass av. car, or from 9th and Lafayette to South Side Day Nursery; please return to matron, South Side Day Nursery.
PURSE—Lost, small gunmetal coin purse; monogram O. E. H.; Delmar car; reward. 620 Union.
PURSE—Lost; lady's; on Park car, between 3 and 4 p. m. Sunday afternoon, containing $6 in money, diamond stickpin, 3 diamonds and coral setting, 1 pair diamond link cuff buttons and tie clasp, engraved H. F. D. Finder will please call up Hotel Jefferson and ask for H. F. Deubner, and receive reward. Steward.
TIE PIN—Lost; with initials W. L. G.; relic of dead father. Return to 2752 Caroline; reward.
VIOLIN—Lost, on Cherokee car, Saturday evening. Call Placht's, Olive 1185; reward.
WALLET—Lost; Saturday evening, containing money and personal papers bearing the name D. Mackay. Please return wallet and papers to owner, 612 N. Grand.
WATCH FOB—Lost; between Cabanne, post-office and University City; initials A. C. R.; reward. 4 Harvard av., University City.
WATCH CHARM—Lost, key, name and '13 engraved; liberal reward. Phone Forest 7230. (2)
WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch, with monogram V. O. M., Friday, between 4th st. and 5100 west, Hodiamont line; reward. Call Olive 4920. (1)

FOUND
MESH BAG—Found, the evening of March 11, 1914. Call Lost and Found Bureau, Post-Dispatch. (1)
WATCH—Found on 8th st., between Olive and Pine, about 4 weeks ago, gentleman's gold watch. 2916A Arlington av.
ARTICLES FOUND BY POLICE.
NEWSPAPERS—Bundle containing 100 Post-Dispatch papers; found at Broadway and Marion; awaiting owner at Third District.
WALL PAPER—22 rolls; found at 10th and St. Charles; awaiting owner at Central District.
SIGNET RING—Gent's; found at 602 Market; awaiting owner at Central District.
VIBRATORS—Two; for Ford automobile; taken from car, Hamilton and Page.
ARTICLES FOUND AT UNION STATION.
PAIR OF GLOVES—Umbrella, railroad ticket; awaiting owner at baggage room.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED
Solid agate, 5c line, business notices, publisher's option, 10c line; minimum 2 lines.

MALE
ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, posted, balanced, audited; reasonable. Box T-90, Post-Dispatch. (2)
BAKER—Sit.; first hand, on bread and rolls. F. Nemnich, 1547 Wellston av. (1)
BAKER—Sit.; as first hand on bread and cakes. Address 19th and Division st., Murphysboro, Ill. (1)
BAKER—Sit. by young and reliable; bread, rolls and cakes. C. Petsch; phone South 921. (1)
BAKER—Sit. by first-class cake, bread and roll baker; best references; day work preferred. 3628 Finney av. (1)
BAKER—Sit.; by first hand; good on bread and cakes; small shop; country. Baker, 208 S. Broadway. (1)
BAKER—Sit.; all around; 2d; references; no booze fighter; country shop. E. Howe, Decatur, Lincoln, Ill. (3)
BARTENDER—Sit. by good; steady, reliable; not afraid of work; references. Box B-83, Post-Dispatch. (3)
BARTENDER—Sit. by young German-English; year's experience; references. Otto Hubert, Mexico, Mo. (1)
BARTENDER—Sit.; sober, willing; do porter work; first-class references. Call or write, Mr. Deidesheimer, 1444 Monroe st. (1)
BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by young man, 21, competent bookkeeper-stenographer; extensive office experience; salary $12; excellent references. A. Mang, 7022 Michigan. (3)
BOY—Sit.; 17 years old; bright, ambitious; position in office; experienced. C. Krops, 3710 S. Jefferson av. (1)
BOY—Sit. by boy, 17 years old, to deliver orders and work in grocery store. 2434 Gilmore. (2)
CARPENTER—Sit. by temperate; A1; reasonable wages. Box B-162, Post-Dis. (6)
CARPENTER—Man, middle-aged, will do any work for room and board; answer by letter. Carpenter, 3502 Lindell.
CARPENTER—Sit.; good workman; estimates furnished. Central 9259. 3426 Washington.
CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by experienced; expert mechanic; best of references. Box T-92, Post-Dispatch. (1)
COOK—Sit. by colored man; allround cook. Robert Fims, 2814 Lawton; Bomont 1276.
COOK—Sit. by experienced colored man. C. J. Green. 606 N. Leffingwell av.
COOK—Steady sit., by well-experienced colored man, in hotel, cafe or restaurant; well experienced in short order work especially. Box B-46, Post-Dispatch. (5)
ENGINEER—Sit.; licensed; elderly man; day or night; will do own firing. C. W., 4265 Connecticut st. (2)
FIREMAN—Sit.; first-class; has good references. 3214 S. 9th.
GARDENER—Sit. by German, age 34, reliable, honest, sober, best experience, good references; flowers, vegetables, housework, stock; if desire drive automobile; industrious. L. Lehmer, 1111 Rutger st. (2)
GROCERY CLERK—Sit. by experienced; best references; can do buying. Grand 3269. 4356 Swan av.
MAN—Sit. by handy; in factory; can do repairing of any kind; can give good references. Harry Goff, 1113 S. 13th. (3)
HOUSEMAN—Sit. by experienced colored, as houseman or tenant. Call Bomont 754.
HOUSEMAN—Young man would like position, or any kind of work; sober and reliable. Lindell 633.
JANITOR—Sit. by colored; good references; call Cabany 2379, ask for George.
JANITOR—Sit.; white; experienced; can do repairing; have own tools. Box W-138, Post-Dispatch. (2)
JANITOR—Sit. by colored; experienced, good references, for apartment or office building. S. A. W., 3915A Finney. (3)
MAN—Sit. working around automobiles. Box B-98, Post-Dispatch. (2)
MAN—Wants paper cleaning; cheap, now. George Giesler, 1106 N. Compton av.
MAN—Sit.; odd jobs; cleaning rugs, spading gardens, repairing; $1.75 day. Box B-105, Post-Dispatch.
MAN—Sit. by capable, middle-aged, general work on suburban place; references furnished. Box B-95, Post-Dispatch. (2)
MAN—Young, desires position with good prospective; capable of doing clerical, bookkeeping and stenographic work; age 18 years; references. Box T-182, P.-D. (2)
MAN—Elderly German, sober, honest and reliable; position to care for furnace, yard, lawn, for room, and state wages, please; no window cleaning. Box B-47, Post-Dispatch.
PAPER HANGER—Wants work; also papering fresco; cleaning. Bomont 3131. 3131 Washington.
PORTER—Sit.; house cleaning, yard fixing; call 6 p. m., Lindell 210W.
PORTER—Sit. by colored porter, housework, janitor; references. 513 S. 23d st. D. Thompson. (1)
PORTER—Sit. by young colored man, as porter or elevator boy in bank, office building, dry goods, grocery store, printing or tailoring establishment; 2 years at present position; can furnish best of references. Charles, 4970 Fountain. (1)
PRESSFEEDER—Sit.; experienced; cylinder and job; can make ready. Box T-221, Post-Dispatch. (2)
STEAM FITTER HELPER—Sit.; 2 years' experience. Victor 2285X.
STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young man who is willing to begin at bottom; best references. Box H-36, Post-Dispatch. (1)
UPHOLSTERER—German, first-class inside and outside, wants position. Box W-30, Post-Dispatch. (1)
WATCHMAN—Reliable man; understands steam boilers; desires situation. W. M., 4331A California av. (1)
YOUNG MAN—Sit. 3 to 5 hours' work after 6 or 6:30 p. m. and Sunday; anything considered; 25 years old. Box W-31, P.-D. (1)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE
BOOKKEEPER—Stenographer; young lady; experienced; high school graduate; best references. Box W-205, Post-Dis. (4)
COMPANION—Sit. by lady of refinement; to elderly lady, semi-invalid or wherever needed; references exchanged; telephone Ferguson 79J. Ad. Box 57, Ferguson, Mo. (1)
COOK—Sit.; no washing. 3300 Lemp.
COOK—Sit. by good Southern cook; first-class references. 4453 Lucky. (1)
COOK—Girl for cooking and downstairs work. 3419 Hawthorne.
COOK—Sit. by good, colored; references. 4323 Cozens av.; Lindell 1397.
COUPLE—Young, with daughter going to school, would like to take care of home for folks traveling; references. Call Lindell 675W.
CURTAIN CLEANER—Sit. by first-class; to bring home work. Bomont 1041.
GIRL—Sit. by neat colored; housecleaning by day or week; references. Lindell 786.
GIRL—14, to care for two children; good home; fair wages. 3541 De Kalb.
GIRL—Young, 18, would like work by the day or week. Delmar 3560J.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by neat colored; plain cooking, housework. Call Lindell [illegible]

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by girl, to do housework in flat. 3804 Cook.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl; quick and neat housework; references. Bomont 1887.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl for housework. Lindell 4054.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by experienced colored for housework, or as laundress. Bomont 957.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by girl, for general housework; city or suburbs. 2814 Washington.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl to assist in housework; call. 2835 Morgan.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit., general housework, by neat Southern colored woman; stay nights; references. Annie Smith, 712 N. 18th st.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored; for general housework; call Mary Layne, Bomont 2324.
HOUSEGIRL—Colored, wants to assist with housework and cooking; will do small washing. Carrie Perkins, phone Grand 4760.
HOUSEKEEPER—Position in city hotel or summer resort. Box T-2, Post-Dispatch. (5)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by widow with references. Lindell 1255R. 3520 Lindell av.
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by young woman, will leave city. 3923A Olive. (2)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. Mrs. Wagoner, 1103 St. Ange. (1)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by young, reliable woman; steady home. Box W-229, Post-Dispatch. (4)
LACE CURTAIN LAUNDRESS—35c pair; first-class work. 4132 N. King's highway.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class, or cleaning. Iola Jones, 2723 Bernard. (1)
LAUNDRESS—Wants family washing or bundles to bring home. 161 Victor. (2)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class, white; take home small bundles. Phone Cabany 5639. (1)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class for any day, or housecleaning. Martha, Bomont 1248. (3)
LAUNDRESS—With references, wants Tuesday. 3415 La Salle.
LAUNDRESS—Sit., out by day. Lizzie Stanfield, Bomont 863.
LAUNDRESS—Good, wants small bundles to bring home. Lindell 2325W.
LAUNDRESS—Sit.; out by day or cleaning; give references. Bomont 2467R.
LAUNDRESS—White, wants bundles to bring home. Delmar 3500J.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced colored; bundles to bring home. Nancy, 219A S. Leffingwell.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored; washing to bring home or go out. Lindell 5739W.
LAUNDRESS—Wants laundry work or cleaning, Tuesday and Wednesday; colored. Bomont 1415.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class to go out by day or bring bundles home. 3518A Cozens av.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored girl, laundry work or cleaning, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; references. Bomont 1809.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored, or cleaning. Sadie Burns, Bell, Kirkwood 141W; Kinloch, Kirkwood 86L.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced colored for Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. Bomont 1030R.
LAUNDRESS—First-class, colored, wants 3 or 4 days out or bring home. C. Osborne, 6215 Suburban.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored; bundles to bring home; 4 years references. Jessie, 4212A Fairfax.
LAUNDRESS—Wants bundles to take home; reasonable; must have work. Lindell 4054, Central 9737L. (100)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class Tuesday, Wednesday; fast worker; references. Bomont 2834.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. laundry work and cleaning by the day; experienced; colored. Bomont 1115.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class, Monday, Tuesday; good references; have worked in one family 8 years. Bomont 2754.
LAUNDRESS—Would like to go out washing and ironing. Mrs. Smith, 2819 Missouri. (1)
LAUNDRESS—Washing to bring home; first-class work; references. Callie Taylor, Lindell 1316. (2)
LAUNDRESS—Sit.; white; washing to take home; call or write. J. Bowers, 4258 Lucky.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. white, reliable, large yard, good ironer; work guaranteed; price reasonable. Bomont 750. (4)
LAUNDRESS—Wants bundle washing to bring home; first-class work; reasonable prices; sunny yard, sanitary surroundings. Bomont 456. (3)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced; wants washing to bring home; nice basement to dry in; good ironer. Douglass, 3322 Pine. Bomont 1487W. (2)
LEDGER CLERK—Sit. by experienced, in retail store, to do posting. Call Central 9342R.
ORDER CLERK—Sit. by retail order clerk to take orders and assist in bookkeeping. Call Central 9342R.
SEAMSTRESS—Work to do at home; plain sewing preferred! call. 1420 Warren, rear.
STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by first-class beginner, with few months' experience; references. Box B-112, Post-Dispatch.
STENOGRAPHER—Young lady, first-class, desires half day or part time position. Box W-206, Post-Dispatch. (4)
STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by capable young lady; and office assistant. Box W-230, Post-Dispatch. (4)
WOMAN—Position in doctor's office; references and experience. Call Laclede 2101. (6)
WOMAN—Sit. by widow, with boy 8 years old. Call side entrance, 2631 Montgomery.
WOMAN—Sit. by colored, for cleaning; good worker; good references; call or write. 4106A Finney.
WOMAN—Sit. by neat colored, few hours each day, or cleaning by day. Mae Young, 219A S. Leffingwell. (2)
WOMAN—Wants sit. cleaning and any kind of work or in restaurant kitchen, from 7 to 10; no Sunday. Address 710 O'Fallon st. Kate Connelly. (2)

HELP WANTED
Solid agate, 10c line, except agents, salesmen, canvassers, solicitors, mail orders 15c line, minimum, 2 lines.

MALE
BAKER—Young; third hand. 3441 Clark.
BAKER—Secondhand; at once. 4309 Lee.
BAKER—First-class cake baker; pastry and ornamental work; day work. Apply by phone or write. Geo. Noll Bakery Co., Alton, Ill. (c2)
BARBER—Good, steady. 2247 S. Grand.
BENCH HANDS—Two; for planing mill, at once Apply 4018 Easton. (c)
BLACKSMITH—First-class, for night shift; apply at once. Alvey Mfg. Co., 3201 S. Broadway. (c)
BOY—Purity Sealed Lunch Co., 212 N. 13th.
BOY—Over 16. Call American Shoe Stock Co., 2629 La Salle. (c)
BOY—Colored, to run errands; call at once. Tesone-Borenstein, 113 N. 8th, 3d floor. (c)
BOY—Errand boy. Barnes-Crosby Co., 1101 Locust st. (c)
BOYS—Several, strong, for few days' work. Coco-Cola Bottling Co., 1109 Clark. (c)
BOY—Errand boy, to make himself generally useful. Rittenhouse Printery, 3512 Olive.
BOY—Bright, about 16, for general office work. Box E-66, Post-Dispatch. (c)
BOY—To deliver orders. Apply at 276 Skinker rd. (c)
BOY—16 years old; must be willing to work in factory. Marglous Mfg. Co., 808 Lucas.
BOY—Young, to work in grocery store; 16 years old; $4 week. 3419 Olive. (c)
BOY—Experienced in running printing press. Apply at M. H. Heimann, 1310 S. 13th. (c)
BOYS—Experienced, feeding scoring machine and corner cutter. Paper Box Factory, 314 S. Main. (c)
BOY—White, no younger than 16, to do chores and assist gardener in private place; $3 week, board and room. Apply 210 Chestnut st. (c)
BOY—About 14, neat, clean, and industrious; mechanically inclined; factory work; German-American preferred. Namendorf's, 416 N. 6th st.
BOY—Around grocery and butcher shop; must solicit trade and know West End; bring references; call between 7 and 8 Monday. 3914 West Belle pl. (c)
BUTCHER—Call after 4 p. m. 4400 Kennerly av.
CARPENTER—Experienced, with tools, work for about 3 weeks. Apply to Ben Schab, 1100 S. 12th st. (c)
CARRIAGE PAINTERS—First-class; to run shop. 3935 Florissant.
CARPENTER—For rough work; nonunion preferred; state age and salary. Box H-259, Post-Dispatch. (c2)
CAR CARPENTERS—Steady work; full time; abundance material; 26c per hour and bonus. Ottawa Car Works, Ottawa, Kan. (c8)
CHOPPER—Fox-McKnight Tailoring Co., 613 Pine st. (c)
CLERK—Young man for cost department of manufacturing company; must understand manufacturing methods; state qualifications fully. Box H-21, Post-Dis. (c1)
COAT MAKER—Experienced, to work inside. M. Bond Tailoring Co., 1624 Olive.
CONCRETE WORKERS—Dahlia and Hummell, Cherokee car south. E. H. Benjamin. (c)
COOK—Experienced. 1206 Olive. Olive 4158.
COOK—Second. Ideal Restaurant, 105 N. 8th st.
COOK—Experienced, short order. 1602 S. Broadway.
CUTTERS—Experienced; on white goods. Delmar Mfg. Co., 415 N. 8th. (c)
CUTTERS—Skirt; experienced, steady work. [illegible] Skirt Co., [illegible] Washington. (c)

HELP WANTED—MALE
DIE SETTER—Experienced, for can factory work. Apply 1210 Mullanphy. (c1)
DIGGERS—Five, at Delmar and Hamilton, Tuesday morning. (c)
DRAFTSMAN—With good experience, in structural steel and machine designing; unexperienced need not apply. Alvey Mfg. Co., 3201 S. Broadway. (c)
DRIVERS—Experienced, and helpers, for furniture wagon. Apply Buettner Furn. Co., 7th and Washington. (c)
DRUG CLERK—Take charge country store; good for druggist or doctor to buy; easy terms. P. O. Box 110, Olney, Mo. (37)
FARM HAND—Experienced, on truck farm; middle-aged, sober; $20 and board; apply after 5 p. m. H. C. Montgomery, 2824 Locust st.
FURNITURE FINISHER—And cabinetmaker. Apply at once. R. A. Linde Furniture Co., 910 Washington av. (c)
HELP—Male or female, in lunchroom. 1523 N. Jefferson.
JANITOR—Assistant. References required. Apply 3648 Washington bl. (c)
KITCHEN MAN—Steady; must know something about waiting; night work; call after 6 p. m. 711 N. 6th.
LABORER—To take contract for grading and sodding. 2733 Park.
MAN—Young, for drug store; experienced; school privileges. Clara-Etzel Pharmacy.
MAN—To care for horses and deliver; references. 4300 Laclede av. (c)
MAN—To work in shoe repairing shop; call at 3209½ Laclede.
MAN—Young, to work on West End vegetable wagon; German preferred. 3739 Lucky st.
MAN—Experienced, layout, and assembler, for structural steel works, that thoroughly understands blue prints. Alvey Mfg. Co., 3201 S. Broadway. (c)
MAN—Young, 17 to 20, must understand bookkeeping, typewriting and be fair stenographer; apply Tuesday, 8 to 9 a. m. Eagle Printing Co., 7305 Manchester. (c)
MAN—Married, about 30 years old; no children; must be healthy and strong; to work as houseman and understand the care of horses, in private family out of city; must be of good habits and industrious; good hours and wages; state experience and past employment. Box B-270, Post-Dispatch. (1)
MASON FOREMAN—For open shop job; $6 per day. Westinghouse Church Kerr & Co., Bloomington, Ill. (c8)
MASONS—Open shop job; wages 80c per hour; 9 hours day; transportation furnished on C. & A. lines. Westinghouse Church Kerr & Co., Bloomington, Ill. (c8)
MEN AND TEAMS—At Abner and Terry; money any time. Elmer Clark. (c)
MEN—At Union and Easton. Schweitzer Contracting Co.
MEN—For excavating; two blocks north of Clayton, on Taylor, in alley. Stiers. (c)
MEN—10, on Sullivan and Parnell. J. J. Ryan. (c1)
MEN—And young men, for the Frisco news service; apply at 2009 [illegible] Fred Harvey, Mgr. (c3)
MEN—Young, to travel; experience unnecessary; salary or commission. Call 5859 Easton av.
ORGANIZERS—Good, for the Loyal American League, in and out of city; liberal organization; A1 proposition; investigate. Jarvis & Orr, 22 and 23 Culver Bldg., 12th and Olive. (c3)
PAPER HANGER—4258 Easton.
PAPER HANGERS—Open shop. O. H. Baldwin, 5622 Page. (c)
PAPER HANGERS—Charles Davisee, 6230 Ella av. (c)
PAPER HANGER—Apply T. J. Cavanaugh, 3508 North Market st. (c)
PAPER HANGER—First-class. George H. Pani, 718 N. Vandeventer av.
PAPERHANGERS—6; first-class. W. H. Roberkamp, 3219 N. 19th st., cardmen. (2)
PAPER HANGER—First-class; must be sober and steady; work all year, guaranteed. Charles Muench, 1451 Montgomery.
PAPER HANGER—Steady work for first-class man; no other need apply; open shop. Call 2413 S. Broadway. Phone Victor 1028.
PAPER HANGER—To paper and whiten 7-room house. 809 N. Elm av., Webster Groves, Mo.
POLISHER—And buffer; experienced. Apply 609 Chouteau.
PORTER—Colored. 1811 Pine. (c)
PORTER—Experienced; city references. Loehr, 206 N. 7th st.
PORTER—Elderly man, for saloon; good board and wages. 3137 N. Broadway.
PORTER—Good, sober, white, for mopping, scrubbing and cleaning; must be good worker and steady; $10 per week; see Mr. Starr, R. R. Y. M. C. A., 20th and Eugenia.
PRESS FEEDERS—Job; experienced. Hub Printing Co., 1400 Wash st. (c)
PRESS FEEDER—To make ready and feed Gordon press. Stephens Litho. and Eng. Co., 420 N. 2d.
PRESSERS—Two, experienced, apply before 8:30 a. m. Tuesday. Weil Clo. Co., s. w. cor. 8th and Washington. (c)
PRESSMAN—First-class man, who can make ready and feed small cylinder press; must be first-class; no others need apply. Call at once. McMullen, 3951 Laclede av. (c)
PRINTER—Experienced. Sayers Printing and Stationery Co., 314 N. 3d st.
QUARRYMEN—Ruecking Const. Co., Marine and Gasconade. (c3)

RETAIL MAN
About 27 years old, to assist buyer; this position offers bright future for ambitious young man; state last 5 years' experience. Box H-172, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SHOEMAKER—To take charge of shoe repair shop; must be good workman. 451 N. Sarah.
SHOVELERS—Humphrey and Russell, tomorrow morning. F. Crowder. (c)
SOLDERER—Experienced on assorted tin work. Hauk Supply Co., 115 S. 1st. (c)
SOLICITORS—Experienced; come ready to work; good commission. 3113 Olive.
STAIRBUILDER—To build stairs, also man to work on screens; experienced only. 3005½ Olive. (c)
STEEL FINISHERS—And fitters for coach work. Apply AMERICAN CAR AND FOUNDRY CO., St. Charles, Mo. (c3)
STENOGRAPHER—To do day or evening work in exchange for a law, salesmanship or academic course. City College of Law and Finance. (c8)
TEAMS—Three months' work; Goodfellow and Kennerly. Carroll Contracting Co.
TEAM Wtd.—7108 Lindell, at Pennsylvania, University City. H. Ablen.
TEAMS—Three, with slips and plow; apply 3813 Kennerly, this evening, or Lexington and Fair Tuesday morning; $5 day.
TEAMSTER—At stable, rear of 4525 Chouteau av.; Davies Contracting Co. (c1)
TINNER—4435 Easton av. (c)
TINNERS—On oil cans. 212 N. 3d st. (c1)
TINNER—Experienced on automobile radiators. Eureka Auto Parts Mfg. Co., 3029 Olive st. (c)
UPHOLSTERERS—And apprentice; steady work. Call 2724 N. Grand av. (c)
WAITER—Guss Restaurant, 307 N. Leffingwell.
WAITER—In restaurant, at once. 3703 N. Broadway.
WALL WASHER—Apply rear entrance, Mercantile Club, 7th and Locust sts. (c)
WINDOW WASHER—Apply rear entrance, Mercantile Club, 7th and Locust sts. (c)
WINDOW CLEANER—Experienced, reliable, white man, references required. 802 Navarre Bldg., 6th and Chestnut. (c)
WRECKERS—20, at Masonic Home, 5351 Delmar bl.; Sutton & Lynch. (c2)
YOUNG MAN—Experienced at nailing iron, in iceboxes; apply at once. 2000 Chouteau.
YOUNG MAN—To address envelopes. Cerf's, 115 N. 6th.
YOUNG MAN—White; gardening, milking, chores. 5447 Cabanne.
YOUNG MAN—For pantry work; one who understands oysters preferred. Schertz's Restaurant, 819 N. Grand. (c)

AGENTS WANTED
AGENTS—In every county, to sell Silas. S. H. Laird, 6207 Michigan.
AGENTS—Either sex, would you like to make $25 to $30 weekly? Our line brings in the repeat orders. Call 621 Granite Bldg.
AGENTS—A few neat-appearing young men, Catholics, to represent Catholic work in St. Louis and vicinity. Call room 803 Security Bldg. (1)
AGENTS—Salesmen on a new musical work that has positively never been shown in this territory before; entirely new, with exclusive selling features; live wire men easily make from $50 weekly up; call after 2 o'clock Room 810, 810 Olive st. (c5)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS
CANVASSER—I have a good position for first-class canvasser; this means money for you. See Mrs. Speer, 1206 Midland av., any day after Wednesday. (2)
FLORIST—Call after 4 p. m. today; good position for right party. Emma Buchrucker, 3820 Virginia av.
SOLICITORS—Good proposition for few live men. Call 1034 Hamilton. (c1)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED
HEEL STACKERS—Experienced on Morris machines. Apply American Shoe Stock Co., 2629 La Salle. (c)
HEEL TRIMMER—Experienced on Bussel machine. Address Huiskamp Bros. Co., Keokuk, Io. (c1)

LADY AGENTS
AGENTS—Well-dressed women, on a new musical work, that has never been shown in this territory before; entirely new and the exclusive selling features makes it possible for women of ability to earn from $35 weekly up; call after 12 o'clock. Room 810, 810 Olive st. (c5)

PARTNERS WANTED
PARTNER Wtd.—Established business, salary $100 monthly; $350 required; investigate. 3512 Washington, Central 3259R.
PARTNER Wtd.—At once, capable of taking care of office; $75 for half interest; express and moving business; plenty to do. Call quick. Central 5335L, 708 N. Channing. (c2)
PARTNER Wtd.—At once, in a very good-paying proposition, myself being in the business 11 years and also have all goods and stock on hand; small capital required; will bear strict investigation; references exchanged. Call 3923 West Belle pl. (c3)

SALESMEN WANTED
SALESMAN—On a straight commission basis; must be first-class. Call 1017 Olive st., salesroom. A. E. McEwing. (c8)
SALESMAN—Must have $10 or more; good money; 9 a. m. to 12 m.; 1 to 3 p. m. 714 Holland Bldg.
SALESMAN—Good, for pawn broker business, 65 miles from St. Louis, in Illinois; must be a good salesman and hustler. Box H-262, Post-Dispatch.
SALESMAN—Heavy hardware, to travel in Colorado on salary and commission; give full details as to experience, sales and references. Dillon Hardware Co., Denver, Colo. (c4)
SALESMEN—To sell gas irons on payment plan; no money required at time of order or delivery; sample furnished without cost; carfare and liberal commission. Call 2721 Adams st. Mr. Logan. (c8)
SALESMEN—Charles Scribner's Sons require two more salesmen for local work and two for traveling; must be neat appearing, aggressive and hard workers; call between 2 and 4. 810 Olive st. (c46x)
SALESMEN—Our men are making from $18 to $40 per week, selling our line of 1847 Rogers Bros. silverware, and other household necessity, on easy payment plan; liberal commission to right man. Call at C. F. Adams Co., 810 Olive, room 302. (c2)
WRITE moving picture plays; $50 each; all or spare time; no correspondence course; details free. Atlas Publishing Co., 53, Cincinnati, O. (1)
LEARN salesmanship as we teach it and secure good-paying position with high-grade house; that is what we guarantee; investigate this opportunity today. Write or call Salesmanship Dept., City College of Law and Finance, 322 N. Grand, St. Louis. (c8)
SALESMEN—A few experienced, to handle, on commission, well established line in St. Louis; big money to right men. Room 301 Laclede Gas Bldg., 11th and Olive sts. See Mr. Williams. (c3)

TRADE SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES
BE A DETECTIVE—Earn $150 to $300 per month; travel over the world. Write Supt. Ludwig, 642 Westover Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (c8)
LEARN hairdressing; day and night classes; (no colored); catalogue mailed free; call or write. St. Louis School of Hairdressing, 6th and Chestnut. (3)
MOTORMEN and conductors; electric railways, interurban, $80 monthly, experience unnecessary; no strike. state age, particulars free. Box E-116, Post-Dispatch. (c8)
LOCOMOTIVE firemen, brakemen, wages about $100; experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Box J-264, Post-Dispatch. (37)
MEN to learn barber trade; practice furnished by free work; careful instructions by experts; term unlimited; tools given; money earned while learning. Call or write. Moler Barber College, 808½ N. 6th st. (2)
LADIES to learn hairdressing and all branches; special inducements to first five applicants; money earned while learning; diplomas when competent; no colored; call or write Moler College, 808½ N. 6th st. Central 1863R. (2)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
ARM WAITRESS—Experienced. 911 N. Taylor. (c)
ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—Young lady; must write good hand. Universal Film Supply Co., 2116 Locust st. (c)
CLERK—Young lady who is quick and accurate with figures; state qualification fully. Box H-16, Post-Dispatch. (c1)
CLERK—Young lady for office work in manufacturing company, must be able to handle figures quickly and accurately and write neat hand; high school graduate preferred; must be attentive to business; state qualifications fully. Box H-18, Post-Dispatch. (c1)
COOK—For restaurant. 2009 N. Broadway.
COOK—Girl to cook and do general housework. 4816 Natural Bridge rd.
COOK—Girl for plain cooking and assist with housework. 3507 Natural Bridge rd.
COOK—Experienced white, for home restaurant; good wages. 3533 Bell. (c)
COOK—Experienced, female; references required; wages $30. 5068 Washington bl. (c)
COOK—Experienced girl for cooking and 1st floor. 4721 Westminster pl. (c)
COOK—Competent, white, for family of 3. 5388 Waterman av.
COOK—White woman, to do cooking; apply with references. 37 Kingsbury pl.
COOK—Experienced; German-American preferred; references. 30 Washington ter.
COOK—Hungarian lady; first-class, for Hungarian restaurant. 720 St. Charles st.
COOK—Competent, in small family; best wages; references required. Apply 3417 Longfellow bl. (1)
COOK—Girl to do cooking and assist with housework; must be good cook, with references; wages $25. 5102 Maple av.
COOK—Colored girl, with references, for plain cooking and assist with general housework; good home to right party; come ready for work. 512 N. Whittier. (c)
DINING ROOM GIRL—Experienced; no Sunday work. Voney's Lunchroom, 318 Locust.
DISHWASHER—Female. Apply rear entrance, Mercantile Club, 7th and Locust. (c)
DISHWASHER—Criterion Restaurant, 408-10 Morgan. (c)
FINISHERS—Experienced on custom pants. 823 N. 12th, third floor. (1)
GIRL—To work in bakery. 4112 Easton.
GIRLS—To do bronzing. 207 N. 11th st.
GIRL—To work in solda fountain. 3601 Olive.
GIRL—To do sewing. 1613 S. Broadway.
GIRL—Young, to wash dishes and assist in kitchen. 4202 Delmar bl. (c)
GIRL—To fold circulars. Midland Publishing Co., 804½ Pine.
GIRLS—To do hand sewing on coats; experienced only. 902 N. Broadway, 3d floor. (c)
GIRL—White, to do upstairs work; apply with references. 37 Kingsbury pl.
GIRL—For general work, in boarding house. 2022 N. Broadway. (c)
GIRL—To work on fine custom coats. 400 Carleton Bldg. (c2)
GIRL—Experienced waist and skirt girl. Cummings, 4443 Olive.
GIRLS—Skirt operators. Progressive Skirt and Suit Co., 815½ N. 8th. (c2)
GIRL—To work in small restaurant. 1083 Tower Grove; corner Manchester and Tower Grove.
GIRLS—Small, 16 years old, for light factory work. Apply Busy Bee Candy Co., 708 St. Charles. (c)
GIRL—Experienced; dining room, in boarding house; come ready for work. 1817 La Salle.

COLORED GIRLS
Light factory work; can make good money; steady employment. 200 S. Commercial. (c2)

GIRLS WANTED
Piece work; steady employment; pay while learning; can make good money. 206 S. Commercial. (c2)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. Apply 5092 Maple av. (c1)
HOUSEGIRL—To do housework, in family of two; must be honest. Apply 3511 Park.
HOUSEGIRL—For housework, about 16 years old; no laundry work. 2048 Dickson. (c)
HOUSEGIRL—Good wages. 4721 Washington bl.
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family; good wages. 5720 Von Versen.
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; and assist in bakery. 6650 Gravois. (c2)
HOUSEGIRL—Good girl, for general housework; good home. 3005 Lemp.
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; 4 in family; no colored. 1399 Union bl.
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; go home nights. 1721 Washington.
HOUSEGIRL—White girl, for general housework. Forest 2324. 1731 Cora. (c)
HOUSEGIRL—White girl, for general housework. Forest 2250. 5739 Cabanne.
HOUSEGIRL—To assist with housework. 4463A Morganford rd.
HOUSEGIRL—Colored girl, for housework. Apply 3967 Easton.
HOUSEGIRL—Experienced girl, for general housework; no laundry; must know plain cooking; references. 5323 Cabanne.
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; family of 3; no laundry; wages $25. 3519 Lindell.
HOUSEGIRL—Good, for house and dining room work; must know how to mend; German preferred. 4204 West Pine bl.
HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; good home, good wages; at once. 4110 Easton av. (c)
HOUSEGIRL—Neat, colored, for general housework; no cooking; go home nights. 5669 Garfield av.
HOUSEGIRL—Good home for right party. 1731 Carr. (c)
HOUSEGIRL—No washing, ironing or cooking; home nights; apply at once. Mrs. A. Kellmer, 1517 Arlington. (c)
HOUSEGIRL—White girl, for general housework; 3 in family; small apartment, 6035 McPherson, Cabany [illegible]

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, German, for general housework; 3 adults; good pay. 4302 McPherson av.
HOUSEGIRL—German, for general housework and cooking; no washing or ironing. 3851 Page. (1)
HOUSEGIRL—For housework; no washing or ironing. Apply dry goods store, Gravois and Morganford. (c3)
HOUSEGIRL—Experienced house and dining room girl; city references required. 5284 Westminster pl.
HOUSEGIRL—To do housework; references required. Call at once. Gray, 2829 N. Sarah st.
HOUSEGIRL—Good girl, for general housework; small family. 4425A Evans. Delmar 3289J.
HOUSEGIRL—Young country girl, for general housework; references required. 4011 Russell. (c2)
HOUSEGIRL—For general housework and assist with child 2½ years; two adults in family; no outside work or laundry; flat. Cabany 31R. 6111 Waterman av.
HOUSEKEEPER—Middle-aged married woman; husband regularly employed and sober, for 10-room rooming house. Mrs. Montgomery, 2824 Locust st.
HOUSEWOMAN—For housework, in family; no washing. Call at 4560A Evans.
HOUSEWOMAN—Good German woman, for general housework, by day or week. 1632 California.
HOUSEWOMAN—White, married, for general housework; husband's room and board; small salary; no objection to child. 1101 N. Cardinal.
LACE CURTAIN WASHER—927 N. Newstead av.
LADIES—To make novelties at home; experience unnecessary; call 1000 N. Grand, room 106. (4)
LAUNDRESS—Apply 4245A St. Louis, after 6 p. m., clean.
LAUNDRESS—White, for Mondays. Box B-45, Post-Dispatch.
OPERATORS—To sew shirt waists; good wages. George Woolf, 410 N. 12th. (c2)
OPERATORS—2 neat operators for pleating and tucking, on Wilcox & Gibbs power-driven machines; only experienced ones need apply; steady work and good pay for the entire year. The Paul E. Wolff Shirt Co., 4414 Page bl., corner Newstead av., 1 block from Page, Taylor and Wellston car lines. (c8)
PANTRY WOMAN—Experienced, colored, neat; no other need apply. Portland Cafe, 1718 Market. (c)
PRESSER—And spotter, on ladies' fine garments. Dodson-Spengler Cleaning and Dyeing Co., 5869-71 Delmar bl. (c46x)
SCRUBWOMAN—Julius Restaurant, 206 N. 9th. (c)
SEAMSTRESS—Apply rear entrance, Mercantile Club, 7th and Locust sts. (c)
SLEEVE MAKER—Very competent, fancy, for fine dressmaking; steady position. 3958 Washington bl.
SPOTTER—And presser; experienced on ladies' garments; steady work Central Dyeing and Cleaning Works, 4586 Easton av. (c7)
STENOGRAPHER—Lady, familiar with Underwood machine and write shorthand; $7 to $8 to start with; state experience; beginners need not apply. Box B-84, P.-D. (2)
STORE GIRL—Experienced, for bakery. Apply 937 Goodfellow. (c)

STRAW SEWERS WANTED.
25 experienced; long season; come ready for work. S. H. COHEN HAT CO., 19th and Carr. (c1)

WAITRESS—At once. 1233 Market st.
WAITRESS—Go home nights. 2713 Franklin av.
WASHERWOMAN—Must be very good. 4646A St. Ferdinand. Delmar 4046L. (c)
WOMAN—White, to help in kitchen; good wages. 3533 Bell. (c)
WOMAN—For cleaning, in the morning; apply Tuesday. 2355 Lafayette.
WOMAN—To assist in kitchen. Call at 4431 S. Broadway.
WOMAN—Middle-aged, to work in lunchroom. 1139 N. Broadway.
WOMAN—Experienced German, for kitchen work in boarding house. 2900 De Ka[illegible]

WANTED DRESS OPERATORS
Experienced on plain and silk dresses; fine pay; steady; also hand sewers. OLIAN BROS., 923 Washington av. (c)

SALESLADIES WANTED
SALESLADY—Experienced, at once, for steady position; also one for Saturday and Monday only. American 5 and 10 Cent Store, 6th and Washington. (c7)
SALESLADIES—Experienced, for shirt waist department; good, steady position for competent saleslady. Apply at Kline's, 509 Washington av. (c)
SALESLADY—Jewish, that knows how to sell and keep stock in a small dry goods store; good position; must give good references. Box B-127, Post-Dispatch.
SALESGIRLS—Millinery, must have experience. Apply SONNENFELD'S, 610 Washington Av. (c)
SALESLADIES—Charles Scribner's Sons have several vacancies in their sales department for clever young women of good appearance who wish to travel; also two local women wanted; experience unnecessary, but applicants must be able to meet the public; call between 2 and 4. 810 Olive. (c46x)
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WRITE moving picture plays; $50 each; all or spare time; no correspondence course; details free. Atlas Publishing Co., 53, Cincinnati, O. (1)

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED
ASSORTERS—Experienced, and markers, bosom ironers, body ironers, shirt finisher and starchers; steady work; good pay; apply at once. Kirkwood Laundry Co., Kirkwood, Mo. (c1)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED
LINING CLOSER—Apply H. W. Page, Capitol Factory, 18th and Wash sts. (c)

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Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

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SALOON Wtd.—Good, in good paying location. Box B-101, Post-Dispatch.
WILL pay big price for established agency that clears at least $100 monthly. Box W-61, Post-Dispatch.

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BUTCHER SHOP—And grocery business; owner leaving city. 25th and Montgomery sts. (2)
BUSINESS PROPERTY—Good; apply to owner, 4220 Easton av.
CIGAR STORE—$600 cash, balance $25 per month; good location. Box B-64, P.-D.
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CONFECTIONERY—Candy, soda, 1 living room; price $275; good stock. GLOBE INV. CO., 902 Chestnut st. (2)
DRUG STORE—Best located and best paying in city; central, big transfer corner; good lease. Box B-273, Post-Dis. (36)
GROCERY—$200 will buy it; worth $800; rent $6.50. 4484 North Market st. (2)
LUNCHROOM—$100. 2812½ Olive st. (1)
LUNCH ROOM—Cheap. 1343 Chouteau. (1)
LUNCH PRIVILEGE—In saloon; free rent. Box B-90, Post-Dispatch.
LUNCHROOM—Good location. 1017 Market st. (1)
RESTAURANT—7 years in one location; doing a good business; owner has other interests. Box B-86, Post-Dispatch.
RESTAURANT—Doing good business; reasons for selling, other business; $350 cash, 313 [illegible]

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ROOMING HOUSE—Clean, nicely furnished; every room rented; income $49; rent $25; steam heat; party leaving city. 4012A Chouteau av. (2)

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SHOE REPAIRING ESTABLISHMENT—First-class; guaranteed to make good money; must be sold quick; reason, leaving city. Apply 3209½ Laclede. (2)

STORE—News, stationery and candy; doing good business; complete with sitting room, $200. 1411 S. Broadway.

TAILOR STORE—Cleaning and pressing; selling cheap, for good reason. Phone Benton 280.

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Solid agate, 10c line, except automobiles, bicycles, boats, cameras, launches, motorcycles, store and office fixtures, 15c line; minimum, 2 lines.

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CASH REGISTER—For sale, double-drawer National. Call any time next week. 3539 S. Grand av. (1)

COAL—Standard, 10c; Sunlight, 11c; Mount Olive, 12c. Johnson Bros., Central 6075, Bomont 2767. (8)

WATER HEATER—For sale; electric; good as new; and Emerson revolving buzz fan; cheap. 2701 Accomac st.

TICKET—For sale; cheap; St. Louis to Detroit, Mich. Call Bomont 407 or call at 5820 Windsor pl.

NEW city map, just out, showing route of every car line; every street indexed and numbered; prepaid 25c. Foster, 410 Washington av. (c8)

A LITTLE money each month soon pays for a genuine diamond or watch. Try it. Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th. (c8)

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ANTIQUE FURNITURE—For sale. 3674 Lindell bl. (c8)

BEDS—Beautiful brass beds; Axminster rugs, chifforobe, bookcase, library table, rockers, davenette, player-piano, paintings, parlor, bedroom, dining furniture; contents of 8-room apartment; cheap; immediately. 4162 McPherson. (5)

BUFFET—For sale; oak, and rocker; leather seat; new and cheap. 1200 N. Euclid.

COAL RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal; hot-water attachments, practically new; also Quick Meal gas stove; call Tuesday. 2642 Accoma. (c)

DINING ROOM TABLE—For sale; buffet, coal range, 9x12 rug; in first-class condition. 3542 Caroline.

FURNITURE—For sale for storage charges. 100 dressers $2.50; iron beds, $1. Brasch, 2618 Franklin. (8)

FURNITURE—For sale, furnishings of four rooms; everything complete; sell Monday or Tuesday. 1129 Hodiamont av.

FURNITURE—For sale, almost new, 3 rooms furniture; cheap; owner leaving city. 2756 Wyoming. (1)

FURNITURE—For sale; 2-room outfit; almost new; nearly half paid; pay balance on same easy terms as former purchaser. Steiner-Lewis Fur. Co., 1202 S. Broadway. (c1)

FURNITURE—For sale, for $50, a 9-piece dining room set, finished in dark brown oak, large buffet with mirror and silver drawer, serving table, dining room table, 5 straight back chairs and one arm chair. Phone Cabany 879. (c)

FURNITURE—For sale; 1 mahogany dresser, new, cost $55, will sell for $40; also bed to match, cost $45, will sell for $30; wife's death cause of sale; furniture in use 8 months; many other household articles; call and see. John Maddock, 415 Blase av., or phone for particulars, Colfax 134.

FURNITURE—For $5 you can furnish a home; the last week of our March sale and prices are lower than ever before; come in and let us show you; see our money savers: Bedroom suite, complete, with good spring and cotton-top mattress, $16.65; upright folding bed, with 18x40 French plate mirror, $10.20; mantel folding bed, with good woven wire supported spring, $5.35; sanitary iron davenport, $4; parlor suits, 5 pieces, as low as $9.50; davenports that have a large, roomy box underneath for bedding or storage purposes, $17; sanitary couch, with felt pad, $7.70; odd parlor settees, $3; odd parlor chairs, $1.50; library table, $3.75; combination bookcase and desk, $6.50; library arm chairs, $3.50; large arm rockers, $3.60; Morris chairs, adjustable backs, $4.40; brass smokers' stand, 50c; hall trees, $3.65; hall seat, $5.10; hall mirrors, $2.75; kitchen cabinet, 2 drawers, 2 bins, $4.25; glass-door kitchen safe, $5.10; oak extension table, $2.95; solid oak chairs, 79c; solid oak sideboard, $9.80; mahogany piano, fully guaranteed, $110; mahogany piano seat, $1.65; music cabinet, $3.90; four-burner double-oven gas range, $12; 6-hole steel range, with warming oven, $15.20; cook stoves, $7; gasoline stoves, $1.40; baby carriages, $2.60; go-carts, $3.90; Brussels room rugs, $8.15; ingrain room rugs, $2.90; fancy China matting, per yard, 10c; window shades, 10c; curtain poles, 4c; packing boxes, 40c; piano boxes (delivered), $1.50. Remember, when you buy here you can't lose, for in case of death we cancel the remainder of the bill. The economy white front store. H. Walker Furniture Co., s. e. cor. 12th and Walnut sts. (c5)

HEATER—For sale. Superior heater and piano, also iron folding bed. 2740 Utah. (1)

HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS—For sale, complete, consisting of bedroom, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, servants' room; owner leaving city. 5059A Waterman, between 10 and 12 a. m. or 5 p. m.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; big bargains fine dressers from $3 up; iron beds, $1 up; springs from 75c up; sideboards, $4 up; chiffoniers, china closets and wardrobes, rockers and chairs; a large stock carpets, rugs, linoleum and oil cloth, gas ranges, coal ranges and iceboxes; sell very reasonable. 2132-34 Franklin; Central 5764R. (c8)

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RUGS—For sale, two Axminster, good as new, 1 new dining room table, 1 hat rack, 1 parlor suit, good as new; will sacrifice. 4426 Page bl. (c8)

WE have great demand for used furniture, pay highest prices. Eagle Furn. Co., 2306 Franklin. Bomont 3287. Central 8785R. (1)

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2009 Morgan, commencing at 10:30; big sale of household goods of all kinds; big lot of storage goods which must be sold; one exceptionally fine 3-piece parlor suite, 2 fine leather chairs, cost $125 each; 1 large mirror and other fine goods; good chance for dealers and large buyers.

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BOOKS—Of all kinds bought and sold. Call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut st. (c8)

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FOR HIRE—If you want a good touring car for $2 per hour, call Victor 1346. (2)

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AUTOMOBILE—For sale, one-ton truck, in first-class condition, price $200. 209 S. First st. (c5)

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AUTOMOBILE—For sale, Ford roadster, foredoor, perfect condition, $400; easy terms; see Farrell, 908 Chestnut. (c8)

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DORRIS, 4-cyl., 5-pass.	$ 400
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Mitchell, 4-cyl., 5-pass.	650
Studebaker, 4-cyl., 5-pass.	650
Marion, 4-cyl., 5-pass.	750
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Also many others.
Terms: Cash payment, balance notes.
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One Studebaker "35" touring, starter 1913	$975
One E-M-F "30," 1910 model	450
One E-M-F "30," 1911 model	600
One Studebaker "25," 1913 model, good as new	700
One Ford delivery car	500
One Ford touring car	375
One Victor touring car, foredoors	500
One F. A. L. touring car, foredoors	550
One Cadillac touring car	500
One Mitchell 1911 touring car, foredoors	650
One Wayne touring car	300

These cars are in good order and represent rare bargains; easy terms.
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A GOOD USED CAR IS BETTER THAN A CHEAP NEW ONE.

We have some first-class bargains in cars of this kind.

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One Ford delivery car, good order	500
One Victor touring car, foredoor	500
One F. A. L. touring car, foredoor	550
One 1910 Cadillac touring car	450
One Mitchell 1911 touring car	650
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We have an assortment of really first-class used cars that are much better values than new cars of higher prices than we ask. Every car is accompanied by a written guarantee of its condition. If you intend buying a car at all it will pay you to look these over.

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CADILLAC 1911 COUPE, with extra touring body. In the very best of condition	1,000
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HUDSON "54" 1913 model 6-cylinder 7-passenger limousine; this car has been run very little; looks like new and as good as new; a very great bargain at	2,250
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BICYCLE—For sale, cheap; good as new. 3206 Market.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

BEDDING, bric-a-brac, contents flat, dwellings and stores; pay cash. BECKER BROS., Sidney 2551, Central 5893. (8)

CARPETS, furniture, entire contents of houses bought for spot cash. Oliver Hast Auc. Co., 2009 Morgan st. Central 6427, Bomont 1620; regular auction sales every Tuesday. (c8)

FEATHERS—20,000 pounds old feathers, pay 30c-45c for old ones and 60c-85c new ones. Montana Feather Co., Del. 865, For. 767. 4426 Page bl. (c8)

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FURNITURE Wtd.—Badly; any amount. Garrison Storage Co., 3016 Easton. Central 1572, Bomont 1920. (c8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Highest prices paid. Keiner, 215 S. 14th. Central 421R, Olive 3721. (c14)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Badly; spot cash. Orcutt Storage Co., 4729 Easton av.; Forest 2648, Delmar 694. (14)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Carpets, contents of flats, dwellings, stocks and stores; highest cash price. Schober, 4518 Page; Forest 3953, Delmar 2985. (14)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Contents of flats, dwellings, stocks of stores; highest cash price. Miller, 3537 Arsenal st. Victor 3193L, Grand 1185J (c8)

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SAFES—All makes and sizes, new and secondhand. J. Baumann Safe Co., 421 N. 4th st. (c8)

THE Security office safe proved its fireproof qualities in the recent M. A. C. fire; valuable records of the club were preserved intact. Hall Safe and Fixture Co., 2133 Railway Exchange. (c100)

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SEWING MACHINE—For sale; Singer, drophead; cheap. 4181 Manchester.

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WANTED

WAGONS, buggies, horses and harness bought, sold and exchanged. Winand, 2102 Pine. Bomont 2469. (c8)

FOR SALE

HARNESS—For sale; 14 reliable horses, mares, mules; $20 up; guarantee given. Delivery company, 2111 Washington. (6)

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MARES—For sale, 10, some in foal; 3 horses, harness; selling out. 1921 Morgan. (5)

MARES—For sale; 10 head; some in foal; stout work horse, $25. 2252 Cass.

MARES—For sale, 5; 2 large horses; must sell this week. 705A Park av. (5)

MARES—For sale; teams good, young, country farm mares; sound, true pullers; harness. 2725 Clark.

MARE—For sale, harness and wagon; must sell; $40. Mrs. F. Dettloff, Kinloch Park, Mo. (1)

MARES—For sale, team of blocky mares, one in foal, $125. Mr. Ludwig, 2819 Locust.

MARES—For sale, 10 young mares and horses, 900 to 1400 lbs., several in foal, cheap. Acme Weiss Beer Brewery, 1308 S. 17th st. (3)

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MULES—For sale; also horses, mares, wagons, 6 sets harness, $25, $75. 1008 S. 12th st.

MULES—For sale, 3 mules, 3 horses, 3 top wagons, 3 runabouts, peddling wagon, road cart, single and double harness. 2735 S. Broadway.

STORM BUGGY—For sale, Haase & Bohle storm buggy; also surrey; bargain. 1900 Washington. (c2)

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MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

CLOTHING Wtd.—Highest prices paid for cast-off overcoats, suits, pants; postal, or call at store. Yatkeman, 2309 Market. Central 674, Bomont 1954. (c8)

CLOTHING—Cast-off, bought; men's suits, $5 up; ladies' suits and dresses your own price. Olive 828W. Central 9398L. Banks, 1407 Biddle st. (c8)

CLOTHING—1000 men's suits, overcoats and ladies' dresses, for shipments; pay $4-$15 suit. Del. 865, For. 767. Joe Gelber, 4426 Page bl. (c8)

CAST-OFF CLOTHING Wtd.—Will pay the highest prices. Nessenfeld, 2824 Market st. Phone Bomont 3021, or call at store. (c8)

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DIAMONDS—For old gold and silver; we accept your old jewelry at 25 per cent above market price and apply entire amount on purchase of a diamond at special discount prices. You can pay balance monthly. Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st (c8)

CLOTHING

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JOHN or Mary, have that Easter suit or dress made to your measure on credit, $17 up; weekly payments, $1 or $2 weekly. The Acme Tailoring Co., 502 and 3 Benoist Bldg. (c36)

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CHICKENS—For sale, pen of 5 white orpingtons, cheap; fine minorca eggs. Sutton, 4555 Ashland. (c3)

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DRY GOODS STORE—Fixtures and shelving. 736 S. Broadway. (2)

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PIANO—Must sell my almost new upright, for cash; make offer. 3844 S. Compton. (1)

BANJO—For sale, fine banjo, electric organ, with 46 rolls and songs; bargain. Call between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m., F. Tillman, 744 Pierce Bldg. (c1)

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PLAYER-PIANO—For sale; almost new, 88-note; wonderful bargain; also household goods; cheap; call immediately. 4213 Washington bl. (5)

PLAYER-PIANO—For sale, magnificent standard 88-note, at great sacrifice if taken this week; used few months; cost $800. Call 3631 Washington. (1)

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MUSICAL

FOR SALE AND WANTED

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PIANO—$100; Schrader upright; medium size case; full octave; beautiful tone; guaranteed; $10 down, $5 monthly. BEYER'S, 17th and Locust sts. (c37)

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SEE C. C. CHRISMAN, room 920 Century Bldg.; shorthand, typewriting, languages. Bell Olive 4585. (c8)

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ACTOR Wtd.—First-class, for St. Louis stock and suburban work; capable of leads and heavies. J. H. Condell, Commercial Hotel, Murphysboro, Ill. (2)

A TERM with us will convince you as to the superiority of our methods; our careful instructors will teach you acting, singing, piano, violin, etc.; vaudeville acts produced; rehearsal hall for rent. Belmont School of Acting, Henneman Hall, 3723 Olive. (c6)

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Solid agate, 10c per line, except rooms for rent, rooms and board, first two lines 15c extra line, 8c; room agencies, 25c line.

SOUTH—South of Choteau avenue-Forest Park; NORTH—North of Cass-Easton avenues; CENTRAL—Levee to Grand, Choteau to Cass-Easton. WEST—Grand to city limits, Choteau avenue-Forest Park to Cass-Easton.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS.

ROOMS—Nice furnished rooms, connecting; private family. Phone Lindell 4138W. (2)

ROOMS—Furnished, in steam-heated apartment; private family; gentlemen only. Call Lindell 1248. (1)

ROOMS—Entire 2d floor, 3 rooms and kitchenette, or two rooms, well furnished and heated; modern; private family; Cabanne district; reasonable. Cabany 4883W.

CENTRAL

ARSENAL, 3542—Furnished room.

BIDDLE, 2115—Furnished front room, with cook stove; light housekeeping; $2; one week free. (3)

CHOUTEAU, 944—Rooms for housekeeping or gents, $1.50 up; hall rooms, $1.25.

EASTON, 3108—Nicely furnished convenient rooms for housekeeping. (2)

EASTON, 2943—Room for housekeeping; cook stove; also gas for cooking; very reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 3422—Furnished rooms; heat, phone, hot water; $1.50 and $2.50 per week.

GARRISON, 304 (corner Olive)—Nicely furnished front connecting housekeeping rooms; gas range, sink; reasonable. (2)

JEFFERSON, 212 S.—Rooms for light housekeeping, and hall room. (2)

LAWTON, 3421—Two unfurnished rooms and kitchen, on 2d floor; gas and bath; $15.

LOCUST, 2630—Housekeeping, connected; also furnished room; all conveniences. (1)

LOCUST, 3127—Newly furnished rooms; steam heat; electric lights; 75c day; $3. (6)

MORGAN, 3025—1, 2 or 3 second-floor front housekeeping rooms; gas range; every convenience. (1)

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ROOMS FOR RENT—CENTRAL

OLIVE, 2648A—Hall room, with stove; $1.25 (2)

OLIVE, 2924—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; cooking gas; other rooms, $1.50 up; 2d floor. (3)

GIBSON, 4227—Large, newly furnished front room, southern exposure bath, gas; reas. (1)

PARK, 2332—Furnished front room; electric light, heat, bath; Park or Compton cars. (2)

SEVENTH, 1821 S.—Three rooms; reasonable rent to good tenant. (2)

VICTOR, 1822—Two nicely furnished front rooms, for light housekeeping; modern; reasonable.

WASHINGTON, 3114—Housekeeping rooms, gas range, cooking gas, heat, phone and laundry; $2, $3 and $4. (2)

WASHINGTON, 2631—Second-floor front and other large rooms, $2.50 up; housekeeping, heat.

SOUTH

RUSSELL, 3853A—Neatly furnished rooms; free phone; all conveniences; near Park, Grand and 4th st. cars; reasonable.

SHENANDOAH, 2236—Two nice rooms; rear.

WEST

COOK, 4310—Room, completely furnished for housekeeping; southern exposure; conveniences; private family; reasonable. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3893—3 connecting rooms for light housekeeping; all convs.

DELMAR BL., 4422—Nicely furnished front room, 2d floor; 2 small rooms; no children. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3637—Furnished front room; beautiful location; free Bell phone; widow's home; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 5169—Well-furnished front room, 2d-floor; southern exposure; breakfast optional; private. 5169 Delmar. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3850—Nice rooms, light housekeeping if desired; Bell phone; every convenience. (37)

EUCLID, 720A N.—Neatly furnished hall room; convenient to 3 car lines; all convs.

EUCLID, 739A N.—Neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences; phone Forest 8696. (1)

FINNEY, 4646—Housekeeping, front rooms; single or double; heat, bath; free phone; $2.75 up. (3)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 802 N.—Large, neatly furnished room for two young men employed. (1)

LACLEDE, 4916A—Furnished room; steam heat, electricity.

LINDELL BL 3631—Nicely furnished room with private bath; steam heat; continuous hot water; desirable location. (1)

MORGAN, 4064—Front housekeeping rooms, single or double; heat, bath, free phone; $2 up. (4)

OLIVE, 4043—Large front room, with or without kitchenette; reasonable; free phone.

OLIVE, 4392—Furnished room; good heat, hot water, electric light; free phone; housekeeping room. (2)

OLIVE, 4217A—3d floor, newly furnished rooms; steam heat; electric lights and phone. (1)

PAGE BL., 4055—Furnished rooms for housekeeping and sleeping; bath and gas; heat; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 4055—Two connecting housekeeping rooms, 2d floor; southern exposure; bath, gas, heat.

PAGE BL., 3810A—Nice, warm room for couple or 2 gentlemen; kitchen privileges. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 4738A—Two nicely furnished, large rooms. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 4742A—Comfortable furnished southern room, for one or two gentlemen; electric lights, phone.

WASHINGTON BL., 3883—Rooms for housekeeping; gas, conveniences, hot-water heat; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 4048—For men, furnished room; all conveniences. Lindell 5757. (1)

WEST PINE BL., 4252—Well furnished single and double 2d-floor front room; every convenience; free phone. (2)

NORTH

BENTON, 2526—3 rooms. Delmar 1786L.

ELEVENTH 1616 N.—Furnished room, light housekeeping; convenient to Bellefontaine cars; $1.50 up. (11)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS.

ROOM AND BOARD—Nicely furnished room, strictly modern, private Cabanne home; gentleman; excellent board; will interest parties looking for something out of the ordinary; references required. Monroe 1909R. (1)

CENTRAL

LACLEDE, 3516—Rooms with board; bath, heat, gas; $3 to $4.50 per week. (1)

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SOUTH

CAROLINE, 2627—Room for two, with board; southern exposure. (1)

CATES, 5132—Large suite of front rooms; modern conveniences; home cooking; phone. (1)

LAFAYETTE, 2351—Reasonable; home cooking; near library and park; steam heat, free Bell phone.

ROOM AND BOARD—Large, southern-exposed, steam-heated room, continuous hot water; excellent table; reasonable. Phone Sidney 1655. (7)

SHENANDOAH, 3928A—Two nice, southern-exposed rooms; excellent table; all conveniences; reasonable; private family. (4)

SIDNEY, 1655—Large, southern exposure, steam heated room, continuous hot water, excellent table; reasonable. (6)

WEST

CABANNE, 5025—1 large, south front room; good meals, splendid location, home, not boarding house. (1)

CATES, 5132—Large suite front rooms; modern conveniences; home cooking, phone. (2)

CLEMENS, 5736—A large, cool room, for summer, with good board, for two. (3)

COOK, 4647—Large, newly furnished, southern exposed 2d-floor front; all modern conveniences; first-class table; $10 week for two; Forest 8994W. (6)

EUCLID, 777—Large second-floor room; best table board; two gentlemen or couple employed.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 880A N.—Single front room; board; for gentleman or lady employed; Monroe 1194.

KOSSUTH, 4274—Wanted, baby to board; private family.

McPHERSON, 4474—Rooms and board; refs.

McPHERSON, 4308—Room and board, in exclusive, private boarding house. (8)

McPHERSON, 4225—Two steam-heated front rooms, with board, suitable for one or two; Jewish family.

MORGAN, 4316—Large second floor front; best board; 2 gentlemen or couple employed. (2)

MORGAN, 4323—Well furnished rooms; good board; modern conveniences; reasonable terms; phone Lindell 750 (6)

ROOM AND BOARD—Room for 2 or 3, for table board, at 4053 Lindell; good service and everything good to eat. Phone Lindell 79 (2)

VERNON, 5439—Large, light, warm rooms; southern exposure; home cooking; reasonable. Phone Forest 2881W. (1)

WASHINGTON BL., 4960—Exceptionally nice, warm room, with board; continuous hot water; opposite Washington Hotel.

WASHINGTON BL., 4201—Large, well-furnished room, with board; southern exposure; modern conveniences; reasonable. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4253—Large room, excellent table; couple or gentlemen; also single room.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3807—Desirable rooms connecting or single; board optional; reasonable to business people. (3)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3957—Clean, well furnished rooms, convenient to 3 car lines; good table, good service, reasonable prices. (c1)

WEST PINE BL., 4233—Elegant southeast room, in private home; excellent board near by. (1)

WEST PINE BL., 4132—Elegantly furnished second-floor front rooms, hot water heat; electric light; free Bell phone; good table; rates reasonable. (1)

NORTH

GARFIELD, 3634—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, or board; all conveniences; Bell phone. (1)

ROOMS WANTED

ROOM Wtd.—For two gentlemen; also barn to keep car; Vandeventer, Grand or Westminster pl. preferred. Box B-117, P.-D. (2)

SUMMER RESORTS

COTTAGE—For rent, beautiful, lake front, Wequetonsing, Mich., 12 rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping. For particulars, address Box A-275, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—In private family; can furnish good references. Box K-6, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—Three or 4, furnished or unfurnished, with board, for 3 adults and 3 children, aged 5, 8, 12; near Tower Grove or Forest Park preferred. Box W-210, Post-Dispatch. (1)

ROOM AND BOARD WTD.—QUIET AND REFINED EASTERN COUPLE DESIRE A PERMANENT ROOM, WITH BOARD, NEAR JUNCTION OF DAVIS ST. AND BROADWAY; PRIVATE HOME PREFERRED. BOX B-131, POST-DISPATCH. (3)

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ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust—newly furnished rooms; steam heat, electric lights; 75c per day; $3. (6)

HOTEL D'ARLES

American or European; running water, phone in rooms; private or connecting bath; warm rooms; good meals. Morgan and Walton. (9)

BEAUTIFUL KENDALL, BOYLE AND LINDELL BL.

Thoroughly renovated, conceded to be the best located, beautifully furnished, unquestionably serving meals, with service unsurpassed, catering to first-class patronage; homelike, pleasant, lovely appointments, private dining room, free circulating library; rooms, single, double or en suite, with or without private bath, at most reasonable rates; hot and cold water being installed in every room; we can please you in everything. Phone Lindell 2570 and the hotel automobile will call for you. OLIVER HALL, Prop. (c8)

HOUSES, FLATS, Etc.

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

FLATS FOR RENT

SOUTH

COMPTON, 2912A S.—5 rooms and bath; hot-water heat; modern; with or without garage. Owner, 4227 Grace; Victor 178.

FLAD, 4242—Modern; 4 rooms; newly decorated; electricity, furnace, shades, screens; $22. Information, Central 7831R. (31)

HARTFORD, 4215A—Six room flat; strictly modern; $28.50. (c6)

WISE, 4985—Brick cottage, 5 rooms, bath, steam heat; $20.
JOHN A. SOHNS, 816 Chestnut. (c2)

WEST

COOK, 3642—2d floor; 7 rooms; strictly modern; reasonable to good tenant. Phone Lindell 3648R. (c)

HAMILTON, 1447—5-room corner flat, just completed; all latest improvements. Delmar 3258X. (c)

SHAWMUT PL., 1316A—Beautiful 6-room flat, up-to-date; Dutch dining room; all conveniences. Delmar 2385R. (c7)

NORTH

CORA, 2526—New flats, 3 and 4 rooms, bath, $16, $18; agent on premises.

FLATS—4 rooms and bath, newly decorated, $12.75; also 3 rooms and toilet, $11; s. w. corner Madison and Leffingwell; apply to janitor on premises. (c1)

GARFIELD, 4564—4 elegant, large rooms, hot and cold water, bath, laundry, fixtures, screens, etc.; open. (2)

JEFFERSON, 1713½ N.—5 rooms, hall and bath; heat furnished. (4)

MAFFITT, 3715—3 rooms, bath, upstairs; 5 rooms, bath, downstairs. Inquire 1927 Marcus. (c)

FURNISHED FLATS. APTMENTS

WEST

FURNISHED FLAT—Modern, well furnished, steam heated. Keys at store, 952 Hamilton av., or call Cabany 276.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—My elegantly furnished 6 rooms and bath apartment, from April 1 to June 15. Phone Lindell 5007. (c3)

OLIVE, 3715—3-room furnished flats; steam heat; hot water; $21 and $25. (1)

VANDEVENTER, 1321A N.—Furnished flat, complete, everything new; 5 rooms and bath, $28; references required. (1)

VERNON, 5000A—Furnished flat; 5 rooms, laundry; nicely furnished; everything complete; first-class, fine location. (c7)

NORTH

EVANS, 4457—Three-room furnished flat, gas, bath, $20 per month.

HOUSES WANTED

HOUSE Wtd.—6-room; bath, gas, southern, southwest or west; by April 1. South 1113R. 315 Ripa av. (c)

FLATS WANTED

FLAT Wtd.—Modern, 4 rooms, with furnace; convenient to street car; about $18. Box H-8, Post-Dispatch. (c2)

FLAT Wtd.—By April 6; 3 rooms, lower flat or cottage; chicken yard; cottage preferred; Cherokee line. Box H-126, Post-Dispatch.

PROP'TY OUT OF CITY FOR RENT

Walpole, N. H. Overlooking Connecticut Valley.

4 hours from Boston, 6 from New York.

Large, attractive colonial house; all mahogany and Tiffany furniture; 14 rooms; 5 acres; garden and orchard; near Country Club; rent $650 season. MISS LEWIS, 500 Fifth av., New York. (c41)

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KINGSBURY BL., 6016—Second-floor apartment, in 4-family building; 6 rooms, hot-water heat, bath; $45; janitor will show you through; will decorate for tenant. (c8)

LOUISIANA APARTMENTS

Louisiana-Sidney
5 Rooms, Bath, Hot Water
Vacuum cleaner; $45.
KILGEN-RULE REAL ESTATE CO., 713 Chestnut st. (c8)

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

MISCELLANEOUS.

COTTAGE—5 rooms, stable for 3 horses and wagon; vacant lot, 25x140; no children unless well behaved. Box T-196, Post-Dis. (1)

SOUTH

JEFFERSON, 1721 S.—7 rooms, bath, laundry; rent $30; key at 1727 S. Jefferson. (4)

LAFAYETTE, 3138—8-room, bath; steam heat; screens; electric light; outside janitor; no boarding house. (c8)

WEST

COOK, 3666—8 light rooms, new furnace; cemented laundry; $30. Farish, 119 N. 8th st. (4)

NORTH

ATHLONE, 4253—Owner leaving city, will lease home of 7 rooms, reception hall, fine electric fixtures, garage, $45. Colfax 1440R. (c30)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4228—5-room frame cottage; large barn and yard; rent $15. See JOHN McMENAMY INV. R. E. CO., 1308 N. Grand. (c8)

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

EASTON, 4904—Large, modern store; cellar, etc.; live block for business; $16. (2)

MARKET 925—Excellent retail store, down town; busy street; reasonable. (8)

SIXTH, 111 N. (Bet. Pine and Chestnut)—Suitable lunchroom, cased liquors, with sideboard connection; best location for any business; busiest day and night street in town. (2)

GARAGES AND STABLES

GARAGE AND STABLE—Granitoid floor; n. e. cor. 13th and Barton; room for 4 horses, 2 wagons and automobile. KOLLAS R. E. CO., 1138 Chestnut. (c6)

VERNON, 5182—Large, new brick garage; every convenience. Phone Forest 4921. (c2)

3 ROOMS

And stable; 1922 N. Whittier st.; for colored; rent $12 per month.
GOLDWASSER & DUBINSKY REALTY CO., 812 International Life Bldg. (c2)

YEARS TO GET EVEN

Gives the Man a Punch and Thus Settles an Old Score.

CHICO, Cal., March 23.—To settle an alleged grudge of 21 years' standing, "Hayseed" Wilson, local farm hand, deliberately struck Jack Cussick in the face in a saloon on Second street.

No arrests were made. Wilson declares he had been waiting for the opportunity for 21 years.

Cussick is a respected citizen, and has never been in trouble. He has no statement to make, and has made no effort to have Wilson arrested.

LIFT 19 CARS TO STEAL

TACOMA, Wash., March 23.—Jacking up a train of 19 Oregon-Washington Railway freight cars in the tide-flat yards, robbers stole 21 brass journal bearings from beneath the cars which weighed 525 pounds. How they carried off their loot is a mystery to the police.

The cars, which were empty, had been stored two weeks, and when a train crew started to move some of them the robbery was discovered.

WANTED BUSINESS PURPOSES

WANTED—A ONE-YEAR'S LEASE. 1732 S. 18TH ST.

Will rent this entire building, consisting of two stores, one 4-room flat, two rooms in rear; also a building in rear, containing about 5000 square feet, to a responsible tenant for $50 per month, allowing one month's rent free for repairs and alterations.
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SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

HOUSE—For rent or sale, 1 acre, with 4-room house, at Ferguson. Box W-209, Post-Dispatch. (1)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—10-room brick, with or without ground; ½ mile north of Baden; good condition. Phone Main 971, Central 1308. (3)

TUXEDO, 782 (Webster Groves)—7 rooms, strictly modern; flowers, also shrubbery; no stable; rent $35. Benton 166W. (1)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE

4422A LUCKY, 3 large rooms, bath	$16 50
4424 Lucky, 3 rooms, bath	16 00

JOHN A. SOHNS, 816 Chestnut. (c2)

NEW APARTMENTS FOR COLORED 4167 Fairfax av., 3 rooms, bath, toilet; sunlight in every room; only $12 per month. ELDREDGE-FARRAR, 213 Liggett Bldg. (cx100)

REAL ESTATE

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

LOT—For sale, 30-foot front lot; see vacant at 3945 N. Taylor av. (8)

FARMS FOR RENT

FARM—For rent; fruit, poultry, truck; 15 acres; all improvements. Lydik, Woodson, between Page and Olive Street road. (2)

SUBURBAN—For rent, 10 acres land, 5-room cottage and barn, $15 per month, on St. Charles electric car line, 2 miles east Pattonville. E. L. Heyt. (c2)

FARMS WANTED

WANT the best improved farm South $1000 cash will buy. Box W-139, P.-D. (2)

FARMS FOR SALE

FARM—For sale; 20-acres, unimproved, fruit and truck garden land; worth $150 per acre; in Lee County, Fla.; sell cheap or exchange St. Louis realty. W. L. Shobe, 3707 Garfield av., St. Louis, Mo. (2)

LOT—For sale; Okeelanta town site, Palm Beach County, Fla., $200; sell or trade. 3707 Garfield av., St. Louis, Mo. W. L. Shobe. (2)

FARMS—For sale; all sizes; in Jefferson and Washington counties, Ill.; write also farm wanted. D. R. Roach, Woodlawn, Ill. (1)

WISCONSIN FARM LANDS—Official publications concerning the soils, climate and crops of Wisconsin mailed free to those addressing Wisconsin State Board of Immigration, Capitol, 2002 Madison, Wis. (c8)

ARKANSAS, Missouri, Florida and Michigan land; special free pass proposition; terms less than rent; German-American and foreign colonies; reliable agents wanted. Inquire manager, 409 Times Bldg. (1)

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

MERCHANDISE Wtd.—For exchange, $8000 income property for merchandise; farms for sale or trade. John Cooley, Fayetteville, Ark. (1)

TO EXCHANGE—Equity in good tenement property for business corner or good store property; will give back second deed of trust. 1528A Biddle. (2)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE

SUBURBAN HOMESEEKERS.

I am prepared to offer you real bargains in 2 homes; one 7-room modern, lot 100x200, in Webster Groves; one 9-room, modern, lot 110x150, in Glendale. Also vacant lot, 98x187 in Old Orchard; reason for selling, am going West April 15; expect to make my home there. Quick action is necessary. Terms if desired. Box A-141, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

CALL Bell Webster 320, ask St Louis to... (c8)

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE

1378 BLACKSTONE AV.

For sale, two-story brick house of 9 rooms, hall, bath, furnace, slate roof, etc.; lot 32x125 feet; house newly painted and decorated; streets, sidewalks and sewer made; terms, $300 cash and balance monthly payments. House open. For price see TREMBLEY-MILLER R. E. CO., 105 N. 9th. (c1)

4628 ST. LOUIS AV.

Brick cottage of 4 rooms and bath, granitoid cellar, etc.; lot 30x132 feet; will sell on easy terms. For price see TREMBLEY-MILLER R. E. CO., 105 N. 9th. (c1)

WILL build 4-room brick cottage, $950; 6-room modern brick bungalow, $1850; 8-room 2-family brick flat, $2900; loans, plans. Swofford Construction Co., 615 Benoist Bldg. (3)

FINANCIAL

Solid agate, 15c line, except money wanted, real estate loans, 10c line; minimum, 2 lines.

LOANS ON REAL ESTATE

WILL build for you at lowest price; loans, 3 or 5 years; see us first. Swofford Construction Co., 615 Benoist Bldg. (2)

I MAKE all kinds of real estate loans; no delay; cheapest rates in city; good loans at 5 per cent; small loans a specialty. See me first. FRANK L. DITTMEIER, 708 Chestnut st. (c15)

MONEY WANTED

MONEY Wtd.—$1000 mortgage on going plant, at big sacrifice. Owner 1022 Wright Bldg. (1)

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

SALARY loans made quickly and confidentially. Apply room 810 Holland Bldg. (c8)

MONEY loaned to salaried people, reduced rates. Room 1881 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c8)

MONEY advanced on salaries, strictly confidential; easy payments. United Finance Co., 705 Olive st., room 729. (c14)

EAST ST. LOUIS LOAN CO.

Loans on furniture in East St. Louis and Tri-Cities. 412 Missouri av., room 204. (c14)

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE

And others, upon their own names; cheap rates; easy payments; confidential. Fisher & Co., room 501, 506 Chestnut st. (c8)

QUICK MONEY

Salaried people can get it; our rates the best and most private in the city; call on COX CO., 323-24 Chemical Bldg. (c8)

MUNICIPAL LOAN BUREAU

Licensed and operated under supervision of city to loan money on furniture and pianos.

Interest on $15	30 cents
Interest on $25	50 cents
Interest on $40	80 cents

All other amounts in proportion. Call, write or telephone Main 2853 or Central 2.. 415 Locust st., room 202. (c14)

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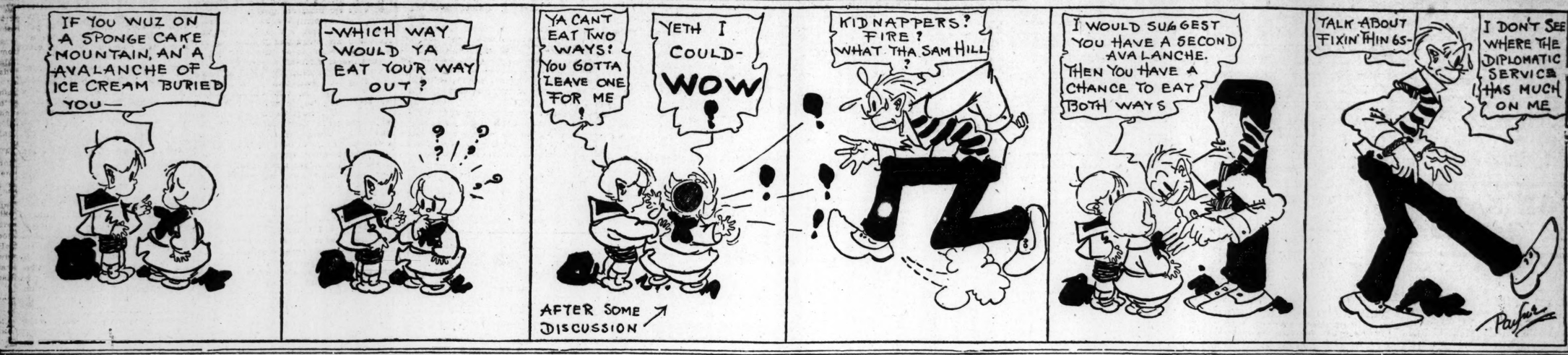
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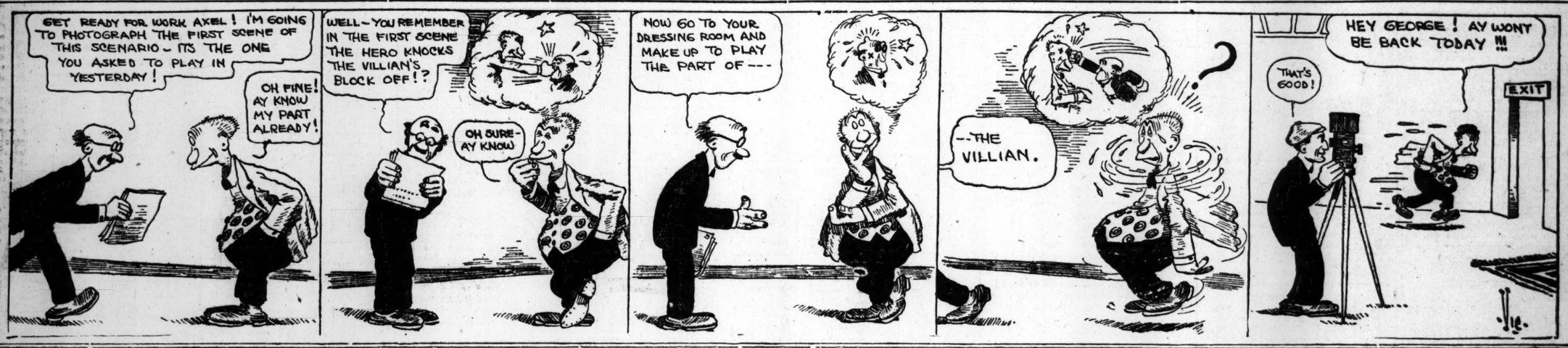
There Is Diplomacy at Home, Anyhow.

Written for the Post-Dispatch By C. M. PAYNE.



Axel Objects to Changing Roles—Blame Him?

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch By VIC.



"Bill"

By PAUL WEST.

"WELL, will you lookut!" says Ethel wan day after every-t'ing had been fergiv and fergot about th' muss I made gettin' her pitcher in th' paper. "Mister Henry's dress soot," she says, draggin' sumpin' outen a bag in th' closet where she's rummagin'. "Lef' a whole week," she says, "sence th' mornin' he come in after tangoin' all night. He's certainly th' careless t'ing," she says, shakin' th' pants.

"Yeah?" I says. "'Tis his own bus'-ness if he lef' 'em in th' bag instead o' sendin' 'em back. 'Twill be him havster to pay th' extry rent an' not youse," I says, "so turn off th' worry tap," I says.

"Whaddyya mean, rent?" she says. "Fer th' happy rags," I says. "Y' don't t'ink th' man'll leave him keep 'em all this time widout chargin' him?" I says.

"Why, yer poor innercent little dar-lin'," she says, "did youse t'ink a guy like Mister Henry would be rentin' a dress soot?" "Well," I says, "if he borried 'em all th' more shame to him. He'd oughter have respeck for th' simp what loaned 'em to him, instead," I says, "o' jeavin' 'em suffocatin' in that bag."

"'Tis a good t'ing Mister Henry don't hear youse insultin' him," she says, "or they'd be a new sodjer in th' army o' th' unimployed," she says. "Gents like him in russiety," she says, "own their own dress soots," she says, "an' don't be hirin' 'em; dough, o' course," she says, "youse wouldn't know, be-longin' to th' lower class, like."

"Well," I says, "youse mention it to him when he comes in," I says.

Th' Boss an' Mister Henry comes back from cort pretty late an' I'm jus' gettin' ready fer to beat it when some bonnet calls Mister Henry on th' 'phone, an' th' nex' minut out he bu'sts.

"Oh, Bill," he says, "diden' I leave me soop-an-fish in th' closet?" he says. "Youse sure dun so," I says, an' goes and gets th' bag. "Great Scotch!" he says, lampin' th' duds. "They're as wrinkled as me grandmudder's face," he says. "What'll I do," he says.

Mister Henry grabs his flossy suit an' th' Boss' shiner an' beats it to see kin he find some place fer to git 'em fixed up.

I guess he t'ought mebbe I was string-in' him about they not bein' nuttin' o' th' kind in th' buildin', because when I'm on me way out Joe th' bootblack says to me:

"Hey, Shrimp," he says, "what's da matt' wid yer lettin Boss?" he says. "He asks me: 'Joe, you pressa da pants an' blocka da hat?' An' I say: 'G'wan! I only shina da boot!' An' he say: 'You gotta no enterprise or you open a place in da buildin' an' make da mon'.'"

"An' by gollies!" says Izzy Katz, who happins along jus' then, "wasen' my Boss sayin' th' same identikul t'ing this mornin' when he drops his overcoat in th' mud. G'wan, Joe," Izzy says, "why doncher do it?"

"I gotta too moocha a'ready," Joe says. "I shina mebbe two, t'ree hun-dred pairs' shoes today! I no gotta da time!"

"That'd be all right, Joe," Izzy says. "Me an' Shrimp'd be yer assistants. We got plenty o' spare time, eh, Shrimp?" "Nuttin' doin'," says Joe. "Where you learna 'bout shina da shoe? By mail, mebbe?" "Shina da nut," says Izzy. "We'd help yuse run th' pants pressin' game. Anny simp could do that. An' lissen, we kin steer bus'ness yer way. G'wan, do it, will youse?" "Sure, Joe," I says. "'Tis a gran' little scheme. All youse gotter have is a flatiron." "An' th' rest is easy," says Izzy, "wid two bright young lads like us."

Even at that I diden' t'ink Joe was anny too warm fer th' idee, but th' very nex' day he says could me an' Izzy meet him on th' top floor, an' there he is into an empty room. An' a'ready he's went an' paid a mont' rent onto it, an' says be tomorrer he'll be open fer bus'ness. Some speed to that guy fer a ginny, huh?

"But why diden' youse have it nearer yer shoe stand?" Izzy says. "If I did," Joe says, "I'd be worried wid too moocha. I hire my cous' to run deesa!" "An' that settles it," says Izzy. "A wop runnin' a pants pressin' parlor! What's eatin' youse?" he says. "Ain't my name Izzy Katz? An' ain't I got seven cousins in th' high class profes-sion an' me fadder seeking assistant foremin in th' swellis' sweatshop in Joisy City? Me an Shrimp'll run th' dump fer youse when yer too busy." "That's right, Joe," I says. "An' me old woman kin iron like a Chink," I says, "so bring on yer pants!"

From that on me an' Izzy was back an' fort' every minnut we got, showin' him how to be fixin' th' place up, an' I gotter say fer Joe that what he dun he dun good, wid a couple o' them sassy 'lectric irons, youse know—fassen 'em to th' light an' they're off, an' a couple o' tables wid ironin' boards onto 'em, an' sponges fer takin' spots out of a guy's coat, an' all them t'ings.

"An' now," says Joe, "go chasa da bis!" An' we dun it.

Th' first I told was me Boss an' Mister Henry, an' they fell to it like a rookey to wan o' Matty's fadeaways.

But anhyhow, be th' time I got back to th' dump I had about six overcoats an' a couple o' silk hats, an' Izzy was loaded up mebbe a little heavier. Joe's on deck, stealin' up from his shoe par-lor fer to see how it's startin', an' he's th' happy guy.

"An' now," says Izzy, "'tis all over but collectin' th' pay. Turn on yer iron, Shrimp,' he says, "an watch th' way I do it." "Nuttin' doin' yet," I says, "till th' noon hour. But I'll be back then," I says, "only don't lay a hand on them pants o' th' Boss's," I says. "They're mine!"

When I got back at noon time, Izzy sure'd been th' busy lad, an' most o' th 'overcoats was dun, he says, dough on th' level they diden look quite as flossy as I'd t'ought mebbe they would. "They're all right," says Izzy. "I know me biz. 'Tis born in me. Youse tackle them pants!"

Well, I hate to brag, but when I got t'rough wid them curt'ins they was as good as new an' even th' Boss says so, an' slipped me a haff a doll', instead o' th' quarter Izzy says I was to ask fer 'em. An' them overcoats went all right, not many guys kickin' very hard.

Th' nex' mornin' it rains an' then clears up, which means a busy day fer Joe, all right, an' he can't git near th' dump.

"All th' better for us," says Izzy. "Me Boss is sick today an' won't be down, so I kin put in th' whole day most." "Well," I says, "I can't. Bot' mine are down an' t'ings is rushin'. But I'll be up at lunch time.

An' so I was, an' it looked like 'twas lucky, fer what'd come in but a pair o' pants, th' first wans outside me Boss', an' pants bein' me specialty, I goes to 'em.

But all of a suddin, jus' as I'm layin' th' iron onto th' seat o' them, Zooko! an' th' place is full o' lightning fer a minnut, wid Izzy doin' a back-fall like he'd been shot.

"What's th' matter wid youse?" I says. "Who fired th' bomb?" I says. "Gee! I dunno!" says Izzy. "I jus give th' rope holdin' me iron a little yank or sumpin, an' youse seen what come off. Mebbe we better go down an' see th' electrishun, he says. Th' elec-trishun's out, an' we're startin' back, me wantin' to finish them pants, when all of a suddin off goes th' fire alarm all t'rough th' buildin'. I'm in the firs' car goin' up, an' who's in there but me Boss. "Where's it, Bill?" he says. "Top floor," somebody says, an' up we goes. An' before we land I'm wise! "'Tis th' pants parlor!

Th' Soop an' a couple o' firemen goes t'rough th' smudge wid them t'ings youse turn upside down to make 'em squirt, an' in about two minnuts they're out in th' hall agen, the Soop yellin': "Where's that crazy wop, Joe th' boot-black?" "Whassa matt'?" yells Joe, who's jus' got there. "Whatcher leave th' 'lectrick iron goin' in yer pants place fer?" says the Soop. "I never dun it," says Joe. "Yer a liar," th' Soop says. "Show 'im, Jimmy!" An' out o' th' room comes wan o th' firemen wid sumpin burnin' an' smokin', an'—Oh, yes, it's them pants!

"Wow!" yells Joe. "Who dun that?" But before he kin pick eider me or me frien' Izzy Katz outer th' crowd, they's annuder yell, an' a head stickin' outer a door about t'ree down th' hall, an' a guy howlin':

"Oh, my trousers! My trousers!"

"Come an' get 'em," th' Soop says, holdin' 'em up.

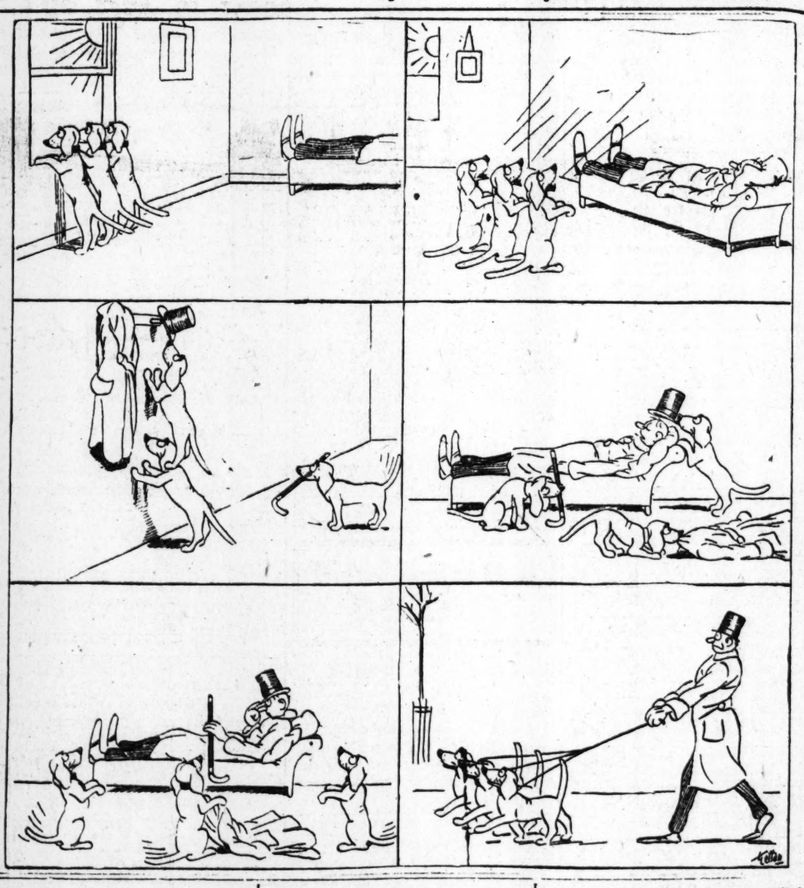
"I can't," th' felley says. "They's ladies in th' hall!"

An' in th' shout what goes up, I ducks.

(Next week Bill and Izzy form a combination to perpetuate a colossal fraud.)

The Day of Rest

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Hits From Sharp Wits

Some people are so conscientious that under no circumstances would they take advantage of opportunity.—Deseret News.

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Who does a thing well has as his re-ward the consciousness that it was well done, even if praise is withheld.—Albany Journal.

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Hoping that what one wishes may come true is useless unless the hope becomes an inspiration to effort.—Al-bany Journal.

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It is possible to bear even heavy bur-dens with comparative ease, if no part of them rests upon the conscience.—Al-bany Journal.

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All maxims of popular proverbial philosophy are not infallible. An in-vestigation is even now under way to discover if talk is really cheap.—Balti-more American.

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We have generally noticed that the average man is never so eloquent in de-nouncing the high cost of living as when he has one foot on the rail and his el-bow on the bar.—Boston Transcript.

The Day's Good Stories

Joshing the Diplomatist.

THERE is a certain youth attached to one of the foreign missions at Washington whose habit it is, shortly after introduction to some fair lady, immediately to turn the conversation into channels favorable for the discus-sion of the tender passion.

"I observe," said he, on one occasion, when he had just been presented to a charming young woman, "that you wear a most attractive locket. Tell me, does it contain the token of some past affair of the heart?"

"Yes," smiled the lady, who had been warned of the diplomat's weakness and who thought to have a bit of fun with him. "It does contain a love token—a lock of my husband's hair."

"A widow!" exclaimed the suscepti-ble foreigner, as he edged closer. "Why, someone told me your husband was alive!"

"He is," answered the young woman "but his hair is gone."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Educated.

AN old farmer on his first visit to New York thought he would go to the theater and see the play called "Forty Thieves." When he got to the theater he asked the man at the box-office if they were playing the "Forty Thieves" there, and on being informed they were, and without asking the price of the seats, told the box-office man that he wanted a tip-top seat, and laid a $5 bill down. The box-office man laid the ticket down and $3 in change. The farmer (accustomed to 25-cent shows) picked up the $3 and walked off without his ticket, whereupon the box-office man shouted, "See here, sir! You've forgotten your ticket." The farmer shouted back: "Keep it, go! darn yer! I don't want to see the other thirty-nine."—Argonaut.

The Financier.

TWO tramps were crossing a bridge over a river one day when they saw a notice which read: "Five dol-lars will be given to anyone saving life from this bridge." "You jump, in, Bill, and I'll come and rescue you," said one. "Right-ho," said the other. "And then we'll share the quid." Ac-cordingly, one of the tramps plunged into the river and began to yell lus-tily for help. Mike, safe on the bridge, turned to his friend struggling in the water and, with an excited countenance, called out: "Sorry, Bill, but I've just seen a notice that says $10 will be paid for a dead body."—Pearson's Weekly.

Ode to Spring.

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With intermittent sunny rays.
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